Blood-Stained Footsteps Spur Search For Five From Bomber

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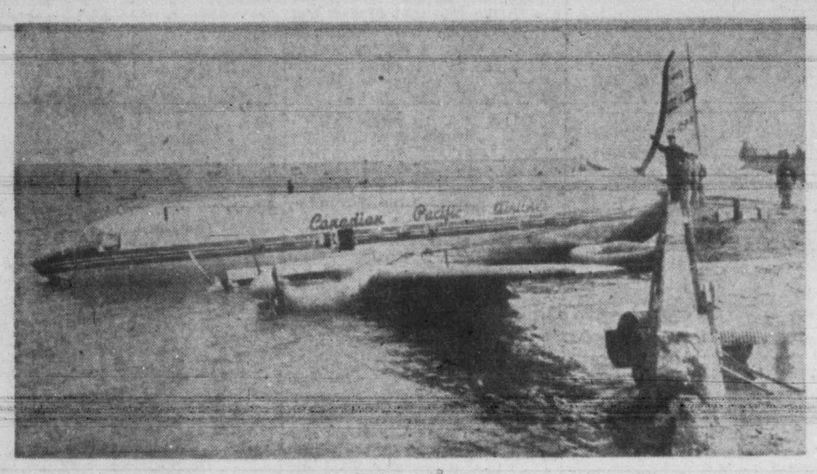

In The Drink

Four-engine Canadian Pacific Airlines plane rests in Tokyo Bay after overshooting landing at Haneda Air Base and crashing through a retaining wall. Four of the 10 passengers and five crew members aboard the plane were treated for minor injuries. The plane was inbound from Hongkong. It was damaged beyond repair. (NEA Photo.)

Coal Strike Parley Yields Some Hopes

WASHINGTON (AP)—A secret, late-at-night conference of John L. Lewis, coal operators and government men gave rise today to new hope for an agreement ending the United States soft coal strike.

From the sparse details obtainable, it appeared wages and other terms were discussed more realistically than at any previous meeting in the eight-month dispute.

The parties were brought together for the unscheduled bargaining by an urgent appeal from Cyrus S. Ching, federal mediation director, and David L. Cole, chairman of President Truman's coal board of inquiry.

Both Cole and Ching sat in on the three-hour talk, which was described by one informant as a "real dollars-and-cents negotiation" between the chief of the 370,000 striking United Mine Workers and spokesmen for the major operators' groups.

It was apparent the parties at last had something fairly solid to argue about—a set of wage, hour and welfare demands offered by Lewis. The miner leader's terms included one brand new twist: A request for a guaranteed 200-day working year.

Nevertheless, there was talk of a possible federal crackdown if the strike continued. Rising government impatience was reported at the miners' mass defiance of last Saturday's court order to go back to work.

The strike went on full scale.

New York ordered coal rationing into effect immediately and fuel starvation gnawed at industry.

Steel mills cut production in Ohio and Pennsylvania. Elsewhere new layoffs were ordered, bringing to more than 41,000 the number of men made jobless in addition to the strikers.

West Point Cadet Disappears With Strange Civilian

WEST POINT, N.Y. (UP)—Thirty-four days ago cadet Richard C. Cox signed out at his company orderly room to have dinner with a civilian "visitor."

That is the last record Military Academy authorities have on young army officer candidate, despite a search by police in 13 states and army criminal investigation agents throughout the nation and in occupied Germany.

Academy authorities said today the "only lead" to the "alarming" disappearance was the unidentified visitor—a "Mister X"—who apparently visited Cox at the Academy once before and was believed to have served with him in a constabulary unit in Germany.

A West Point spokesman said Cox, a second classman who ranked in the upper third scholastically and first in military aptitude, apparently did not plan to "take off."

The Mansfield, O., youth was wearing a West Point full dress uniform, complete with long grey cadet overcoat and apparently took nothing from his quarters.

His absence was first noticed at bed check Jan. 14, the night he signed out for the dining privilege pass.

Fairground Scratches

First race — Mollie Moe, Lucky Champ, Fighting Louie, Bangor Chance, Carlonia, Private Joe.

Second race — Dick Manners.

Third race—Pride of Pride.

Fourth race—Tree Mount.

Fifth race—Nallys First.

Sixth race—Siddons.

Eighth race—Chic Rose, Zevie.

Ninth race — Blob Jr., Atomic City.

Weather clear, track fast.

9 Die In Oil Fire

LIMA, Peru (AP) — Oil scum on the water in the port of Talara caught fire in a gigantic mystery blaze. Nine persons are dead, one is missing and six are severely injured, the International Petroleum Company said today. Talara is Peru's most northern port, close to the Ecuador border. Victims were fishermen on boats anchored in the port.

Candidates Advised To Be Courteous

LONDON (CP)—It should be a clean election campaign.

The Labor Party has issued a 130-page book advising candidates for the Feb. 23 general election to be courteous and respectful, to pose for photographers whenever asked, and to make as many personal appearances as possible.

Conservative campaign literatures includes a booklet entitled "Wash Your Hands of Socialism." Inside are four blank leaves impregnated with soap.

All you have to do is to wet one of the leaves, rub it against your palm, and you have enough soap to wash the face and hands.

Girl Routs Thug

CLEVELAND (AP) — A girl teenager who learned wrestling tactics by watching television routed a street thug early today. Marion Vilt, 17, told police that when the man grappled with her, "I grabbed his index finger and bent it back hard. He let go and I punched him twice. He ran one way and I ran the other."

Mrs. Ford Sick

DETROIT (AP) — Mrs. Clara Bryant Ford, widow of the automobile magnate, was reported seriously ill today. She is 83. Attendants at Ford Hospital said Mrs. Ford was in "a very dangerous condition."

India May Share U.S. Aid For Defence In Orient

WASHINGTON (AP)—American arms may soon start flowing to three Asiatic countries as part of the stepped-up Truman administration effort to stop the spread of Communism in the Far East.

Officials said the state and defence departments also may recommend giving India a share of the $75,000,000 fund which President Truman has a free hand to use for military purposes in the general area of China.

A slice of undisclosed size already has been earmarked for the new United States of Indonesia. Military aid for hard-pressed Indo-China and for neighboring Thailand is reported under urgent study.

Together these three and India form a cordon whose leaders are believed ready to fight the advance of Communism from China as long as they can get U.S. backing.

In its campaign to stem the tide of Asiatic Communism, the United States is stressing its desire to help the non-Communist governments maintain order and stability in their own countries so as to make economic recovery possible.

But like the current $1,314,000,000 arms aid program for western European and other countries, the specific use to be made of the $75,000,000 China-area fund has been tightly hedged with secrecy.

French Strikes Fizzle

PARIS (AP)—Country-wide railroad and coal strikes ordered by Communist unions in protest against unloading of United States arms in France were said by a government official today to have been "nearly a total failure."

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A 24-hour strike call in the northern coal fields also appeared to be ignored by miners usually responsive to Communist demonstration orders.

WEAPONS UNLOADED

Interior Ministry sources reported the attempted rail strike against unloading of arms under the Atlantic Pact was less than 5 per cent effective.

At scattered spots strikers tried to halt trains by massing on the tracks, or forming picket lines, but police dispersed them with no trrouble.

Government sources said that in the northern coal fields—the Pittsburgh area of France—work was normal among surface employees, and 65 per cent of the pit workers were on the job.

On France's railways there was some stoppage of trains, especially on suburban lines into Paris.

But the strike order from the Communist-led Confederation Generale du Travail was obeyed by only a part of the countrys 460,000 rail employees. There was no wholesale tie-up of the French rail network.

$200,000 Damage As Tile Plant At Kingston Burned

KINGSTON, Ont. (BUP) — Damage was unofficially estimated today at $200,000 in a fire that razed one of Canada's biggest tile works and left 200 of its 300 employees out of work.

Firemen still picked their way through the smoking ruins of the sprawling Frontenac Tile Works 15 hours after flames had ruined the buildings Thursday night.

The plant roof caved in shortly after firemen from Kingston and a half dozen surrounding communities answered an alarm turned in by employee Fred Miller.

A brisk wind fanned the flames to intense heat keeping firemen at a distance. Intermittent blasts could be heard up to two miles away as oil storage kilns and chemicals used in the firm's manufacturing process exploded.

Fox Runs Amok

ONEONTA, N.Y. (AP)—A fox raced through downtown Oneonta Thursday night and bit one woman, tore another's overshoe, bit a dog and snatched a toy broom from a four-year-old girl before vanishing. Police said the animal apparently was rabid. They hunted it with shotguns.

Agar Pleads Innocent

BEVERLY HILLS, Calif. (AP) —Actor John Agar, 28, divorced husband of Shirley Temple, pleaded innocent when arraigned on a drunk driving charge Thursday. He asked for a jury trial. Justice of the Peace Henry H. Draeger set the trial for April 25.

Chicago Splash

This was the scene in Chicago as the worst day of the winter brought the "Windy City" wet snow, sleet and an over supply of rain. Many homes and buildings were deprived of light because of the estimated 1,000 power lines snapped by the storm. (NEA Photo.)

Briton Pleads Guilty As Spy In Hungary Since 1941

BUDAPEST (AP)—Edgar Sanders, British assistant to American businessman Robert A. Vogeler Jr., pleaded guilty today before a Hungarian people's court to charges of sabotage and espionage.

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The indictment against Sanders charged he had been a British spy since 1940.

Only Thursday night Britain charged in a note that Hungary had breached civilized standards of justice in preparing for the trial of Sanders.

Vogeler had been expected to be called before Sanders, since he was third on the list of defendants. Apparently, however, the court decided to pass over Vogeler and go on to Sanders.

The first two defendants called, Imre Geiger and Zoltan Rado, confessed to spying and sabotage. Geiger is the Hungarian managing director of I. T. & T. Budapest branch. Rado, a former government employee, is listed in the indictment as a "Ministry Chief of Section."

Under questioning by the court, Sanders testified he was trained in 1940 in spying and counter-spying. He said he was transferred after 1941 to the Middle East. He was sent to Hungary as a British army captain receiving instructions from superiors at the military mission. (The date was not specified in the dispatch, but apparently it meant after the end of the German occupation.)

On trial with Vogeler, Gerger and Rado are these Hungarians: Kelemen Domokos, factory director; Dr. Istvan Justh, Roman Catholic priest; "Baroness" Edina Doery, barmaid.

French Reds Riot Over Indonesia War

NICE, France (UP)—Communists demonstrating against the war in Indonesia stage a riot Thursday night in which two policemen and 10 Communists were injured.

Five Communists also were arrested.

Police used teargas against the rioters who attacked police with stones and pieces of metal.

The riot started after police had refused the Communists permission to use Garibaldi Square for their demonstration. Earlier they paraded in front of the U.S. Consulate.

Santa Anita Scratches

Second race — Foremost, Cairn Lee, Gay Marauder, High Fun.

Third race—Justa Shower.

Fourth race—Tonita, War Coin, Back Drop, Top Emperor.

Fifth race—Wave Length.

Seventh race—Henpecker.

Eighth race—Wire Prince, Brult, Barqual, Old Town.

Weather clear, track fast.

10 Arrests Made As Partial Strike In West Trieste Ends

TRIESTE (UP) — Thousands of workers in the Anglo-American zone of Trieste returned to their jobs today after a 48-hour general strike.

But a two-week industrial strike, which has paralyzed transport, shipyards, oil refineries and other heavy industries, continued with an estimated 25,000 workers demanding a daily wage increase of nine cents.

The Allied Military Government used trucks from army motorpools to transport citizens free of charge. Strikers occasionally interfered with them and police made 10 arrests.

Feb. 27 Tentatively Set For U.S. Rail Men's Strike

CLEVELAND, O. (BUP)—Two brotherhoods representing 250,000 railroad workers today set Feb. 27 as the date for a nationwide strike.

In Chicago, railway brotherhood sources said the strike would begin at 3 a.m., P.S.T.

The date was announced by the Trainmen's News, organ of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen. President Truman now is expected to appoint an emergency board to investigate the dispute, which would postpone the strike for at least 30 days.

The other union involved is the Order of Railroad Conductors.

The unions are seeking rule changes, including a 40-hour week without a reduction in pay for yardmen now working 48 hours.

But president W. P. Kenney, who guides 210,000 men, hinted today that a nationwide strike might not be called Feb. 27 but that the railroads may be struck separately.

Attlee, Churchill Wind Up Nation-Wide Campaign Tour

LONDON (AP)—Mr. and Mrs. Clement Attlee pulled up in front of their special home, No. 10 Downing Street, in their 1937 model family car Thursday night, confident they would occupy that address again for the next five years.

Both the Labor Prime Minister and his colorful opponent, Conservative Leader Winston Churchill, had finished their various tours of the country to seek votes for the Feb. 23 general election.

Attlee, in a whistle-stop campaign, covered some 1,200 miles of British roads—his wife driving. He made 34 scheduled speeches and an untold number of informal talks clear to Glasgow and back.

Churchill, too, was back from a trip by train in which he asked for Attlee's job as Prime Minister, promised to turn the tide of socialism in Britain and suggested he might bring about new Big Three talks that would solve the East-West atom bomb race.

Churchill will make his party's last political broadcast tonight. Attlee will continue his campaign by speaking again in his own constituency of Walthamstow, a crowded section of northeast London, after 24 hours rest.

Alpine Club Party Helps Navy Group In Combing Island

VANCOUVER (CP)—Air-ground search parties today renewed search of rugged, snow-covered Princess Royal Island, about 400 miles north of here, for five United States airmen who parachuted out of a flaming B-36 early Tuesday.

Twelve others—two injured—have been found.

A United States helicopter spotted blood-spattered footprints leading to the west coast of the 1,404-square-mile island at dusk Thursday but a dwindling fuel supply forced the ship to turn back without investigating.

Four parachutes, one of which appeared to be suspending a body, also were located by the 'copter, but it is not known whether these belonged to the missing men or to those already rescued.

The rocky, gully-pocked island made ground searching difficult for crew members of the Canadian destroyer Cayuga, which has been anchored off the island since Tuesday. Nearly 16 inches of snow cover the ground.

The 12 men already recovered were returned to McChord Field, Wash., Thursday.

WATERS SEARCHED

R.C.A.F. officials here said Thursday night they were "fairly sure" the remaining men were somewhere on the island, but they were not abandoning the search in the icy waters surrounding the island.

Ground searchers from the Cayuga Thursday heard shots and shouts from the innermost part of the island, but the fast-gathering darkness forced them to turn back before locating the source of the sounds.

Expert Alpine Club of Canada mountaineers, under the leadership of Fred Parkes of Vancouver, are assisting the Cayuga's men in the hunt.

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Flier Held By Foot In Cliff Was Left, He Feared

McCHORD AIR FORCE BASE, Wash. (UP)—An injured radio operator watched his crewmates from an abandoned B-36 superbomber climb aboard a rescue boat and thought they had deserted him, an air force doctor said today.

S.-Sgt. Vitale Trippodi, 23, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was rescued by 10 buddies after he had dangled by one ankle from a tree for 12 hours. He had bailed out with 16 other crewmen over Princess Royal Island, off the British Columbia coast.

His companions put him on a ledge of a cliff, then headed for the shore to attract search parties. They said they were too weak to go back up the cliff to help Trippodi, so they boarded the fishing vessel Cape Perry when it found them.

SAW FRIENDS LEAVE

Trippodi was rescued by a Canadian landing party Wednesday night and flown here Thursday night. He told Lt. Samuel Neeley that he saw his companions board the fishing vessel.

"They all went off and left me," Trippodi sobbed.

The doctor said at first Trippodi "thought his time was up."

"You must understand he was suffering from shock and under the influence of sedatives," Neeley said.

The doctor said the 10 who left could not possibly have helped him to the beach.

"What's wrong with me?" Trippodi asked the doctor.

"You are suffering from moderate severe frost-bite of both feet, mild frost-bite of the left hand and a cold reaction on the right arm," Neeley said he replied.

"What does that mean? How long will I be here—day, a week, a month or a year?" asked the sergeant.

"Probably six weeks."

"Will I lose my feet?"

The doctor told him he didn't think so.

Neeley said the sergeant said "those Canadians are wonderful people. I wouldn't be here if that rescue party hadn't spotted me."

Queen Mother Mary To Appear In Movie

LONDON (UP) — Queen Mother Mary will appear in a movie based on her activities during and after the war, the board of trade said today.

The announcement said the film would be completed in time to accompany a carpet made by the Queen to the United States, where the carpet will be sold to raise dollars for Britain's export drive.

Officials said the film would be exhibited in both the United States and Canada.

Jack Walker Dies At Seattle

Jack Walker, 61, one of hockey's immortals, died at Seattle Thursday morning. He had been in bad health for some time.

Walker helped the Victoria Cougars win the Stanley Cup, emblematic of the world's professional hockey championship, the season of 1924-25. Cougars defeated Montreal Canadiens in a series played on the Pacific coast.

Walker also helped the Seattle Mets capture the trophy in 1917. He is survived by his widow and a sister in Port Arthur, where his body will be taken for burial.

Weather Forecast

Rain today; cloudy with a few showers tonight and Saturday morning; steady rain Saturday afternoon. Continuing mild. Southeast winds 25 m.p.h., decreasing to 15 this evening. Low tonight 42, high Saturday 54.

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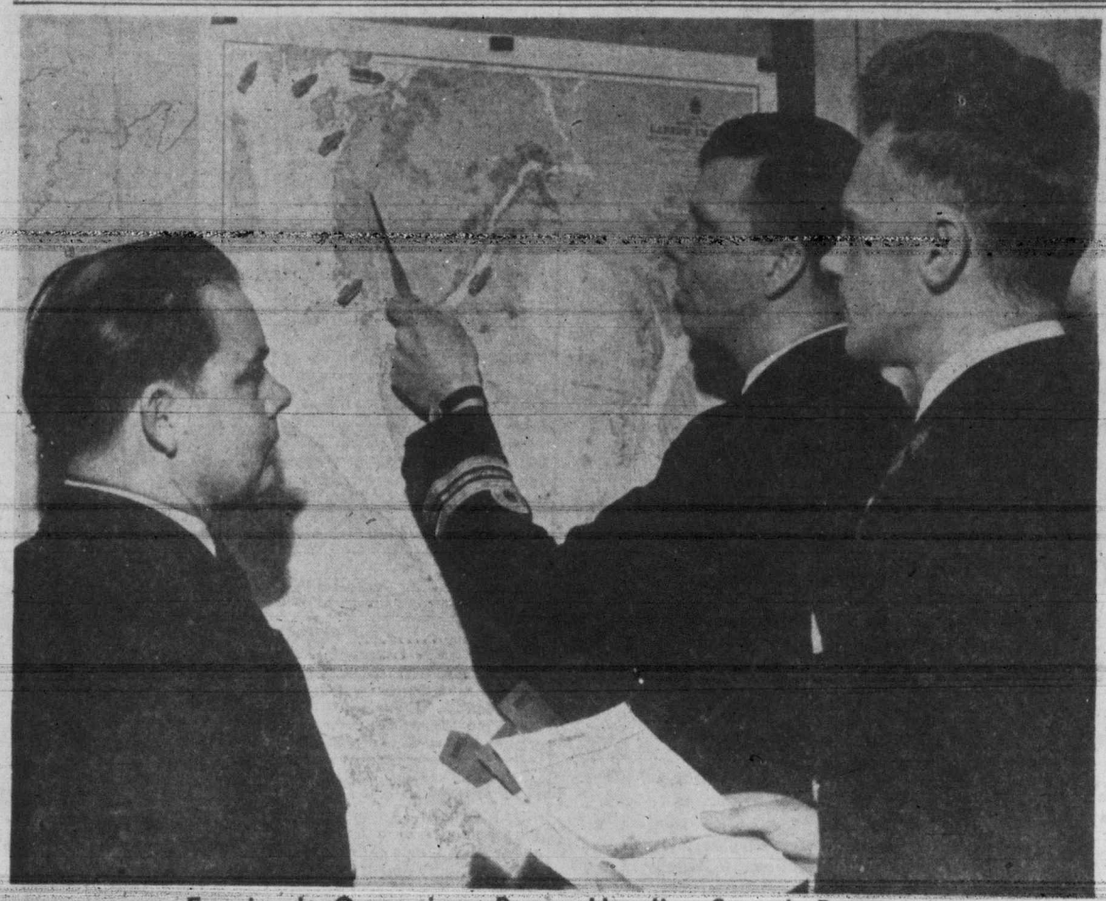

Esquimalt Operations Room Handles Search Reports

With Canadian destroyer Cayuga acting as control ship at scene of search for missing U.S. flyers on Princess Royal Island, operations room at H.M.C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, is busily engaged in checking reports and plotting positions of ships and landing parties. Command operations officer, Lt.-Cmdr. G. Powell, here points to spot where Cayuga landing party Thursday located Lt. Charles Pooler lying with broken ankle. At left is Commissioned Communications Officer R. Clark, while CPO. J. Mackie of communications centre stands by with dispatches from destroyer.

Gale Chops Area Combed For Survivors Of Bomber

Parachutes, SOS In Snow Aid Rescuers

An ominous gale chopped northern British Columbia coastal waters today as seven search parties disembarked from the Canadian destroyer Cayuga, nerve centre of the search for five U.S. fliers from the crashed B-36.

Search for the airmen believed down on Princess Royal Island, almost 400 miles northwest of here, was sparked by two new clues—a blood-spattered patch in the snow where a man apparently had fallen and an SOS stamped in the snow.

A Royal Canadian Navy spokesman at Esquimalt said these were sighted Thursday, but northern darkness closed in before investigation was completed. He quoted a detailed report from Capt. M. A. Medland, commander of the Cayuga.

One search party did not return to the Cayuga until nearly midnight. It was delayed when thickness of island growth forced members of the party to crawl a "considerable distance" on their hands and knees.

Aircraft in readiness at International Aircraft, Vancouver, and at Washington State bases will renew the air sweep as soon as the 40-mile-an-hour gale subsides.

18 INCHES OF SNOW

Snow is falling on the island, already covered by 18 inches. Winds, which began early in the day, were expected to die this afternoon.

A United States helicopter spotted the SOS and imprint. Four parachutes also were located, but it is not known whether they belonged to the missing men or to those already rescued.

Twelve of the 17 airmen who parachuted from the flaming B-36 early Tuesday have been found and returned to McChord Field, Wash. Two of them were injured.

The 12th survivor rescued was Lieut. Charles G. Pooler of Beloit, Kas.

He was discovered suffering from a broken ankle by one of the Cayuga's teams led by Lt. D. E. Rosenroll at the edge of an unchartered lake. Evacuation of the injured man was so difficult that at one time it took seven hours to travel one and three-quarter miles.

CAPT. M. A. MEDLAND
. . . directing the search.

Another rescue team, commanded by Cmdr. G. C. Edwards of Victoria, spent 15 hours searching a mountainside and found two parachutes hanging from trees, and footprints in the snow, but no trace of survivors.

The teams sent out from the Cayuga are equipped with walkie-talkies, medical equipment and stretchers.

The destroyer reported rescue teams form the U.S. Coast Guard cutters Winona, Cahoone and Citrus are also searching.

Capt. Medland's message ended with this statement:

Although considerable distance was covered, the areas cannot be considered thoroughly searched as bush is so dense and hills and gullies make straightforward progress impossible.

25 Resolutions

OTTAWA (CP) — Everything from more flexible divorce laws to investigation of sex crimes is suggested in a host of resolutions placed before the Commons today.

The resolutions — 25 of them—differ from bills in that they merely call for the House to express an opinion.

'Real Progress' Reported In U.S. Coal Terms Talk

WASHINGTON (UP) — A government peacemaker reported "real progress" in the deadlocked soft coal negotiations today at the close of a three-hour bargaining meeting between John L. Lewis and the coal operators.

That optimistic report came from chairman David L. Cole of President Truman's fact-finding board. He and federal mediation director Cyrus S. Ching had been standing by throughout the union-management meeting to take a hand if needed.

Cole said some of the proposals Lewis made Thursday for a new contract were "soft-pedaled" today. He said the United Mine Workers' chief has narrowed the issues on which he wants to bargain, particularly with regard to pay raises.

Cole said the operators, who previously had offered the miners nothing better than their old contract, have "improved their money offer."

The conference broke up for lunch with both sides scheduled to resume negotiations later in the afternoon. Ching left with the mine operators. He would not comment.

Cole hinted to newsmen that if the negotiations should break down unexpectedly, President Truman might ask Congress for power to seize the strike-bound coal mines.

C. S. LEARY

Former Minister Of Public Works Dies In Florida

Charles Sydney Leary, provincial public works minister two years prior to formation of the Coalition government in 1941, is dead.

Word of his passing while on a health trip to Florida was received by Premier Byron Johnson today.

Mr. Leary was 65. He was born at Hawkurst, Kent, and came to Canada in 1890 with his parents who settled at London, Ont. There he received elementary and high school education.

His home was at Nakusp, B.C., where he formerly was president and manager of the White Pine Lumber Co. which later changed its name to the Big Bend Lumber Co.

A captain in the First World War, going overseas with the 225th Battalion and later transferring to the Forestry Corps, Mr. Leary first was elected to the Legislature in 1924. He was defeated in 1928 but returned at the general election in 1933.

He was re-elected at the 1937 and 1941 elections and it was on Dec. 5, 1939, that he was named public works minister under the Pattullo Liberal regime.

When coalition came, Mr. Leary returned to the seat of a private member in the Legislature.

Girl Skier Injured

ASPEN, Colo. (AP)—Margaret Owen, 22-year-old Canadian skier, apparently was seriously injured in the women's downhill race of the World Ski Championships today. The Vancouver, B.C. girl fell near the start of the mile-and-three-quarter race nearly 2,000 feet up the side of Mount Aspen from the finish line.

Suspect Guilty Decision Before Budapest Trial

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(In Washington today the U.S. State Department said Hungary already may have decided on a guilty verdict against Robert A. Vogeler, a U.S. citizen. The department pointed out that Hungarian officials, even before the trial began, had denounced Vogeler and Edgar Sanders, his British assistant, as "dangerous enemies" of Hungary.)

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U.S. Arms Arrive; French Communist Strikes Fizz Out

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Johnson Hints North Vancouver Soon To Be Terminus Of P.G.E.

Premier Byron Johnson indicated in his policy speech to the Legislature today North Vancouver will become the southern terminal of the government-owned Pacific Great Eastern Railway before long.

He supported the claim of the railway's general manager, J. A. Kennedy, that the P.G.E. could be placed on a paying basis if the gap between the present terminal at Squamish and Vancouver was filled.

"It must be kept in mind that the deficits of the P.G.E. are paid by the taxpayers of the province," he said in an hour-and-10-minute speech in which the work and plans of the government were outlined under 13 main headings:

See second story on policy speech page 5.

Entry of Newfoundland into Confederation, Dominion-Provincial Conference, Housing Legislation, Hospital Insurance, Motor Vehicle Control Study, Education, Dyking Legislation, Power Development, the P.G.E., Oil Development, Aluminum Industry, Public Works, Timber Trade Visit to London.

Much of the contents of the speech has been said before. It was a far cry from the 1949 policy address to the Legislature which presented a tremendous program of expenditures on public works and railway extension.

Greatest interest in today's speech was taken in the railway plans although no definite program was laid out.

The Premier said the Squamish-Vancouver link would do away with costly barge service between the two points and with all the attendant delays which were costly from an operating point of view.

"And at the same time the earnings of the railroad would be increased with more passenger revenue and freight between Vancouver and Squamish," he said.

Surveys for steel and highway links between Vancouver and Squamish will be continued, Premier Johnson said, and "when the reports have been made available the government proposes to give serious consideration to Mr. Kennedy's recommendation with a view to determining the policy to be followed."

The Premier said the difficulties in extending the railway through West Vancouver (where many new homes have been built, close to the right-of-way) were realized.

"However it is a recognized fact that the railroad eventually must have a terminal on Vancouver Harbor," Mr. Johnson stated.

He made it clear that the Vancouver-Squamish link should be built before the Prince George-Dawson Creek extension was undertaken in the north.

Hospital Insurance Boost?

A hint that hospital insurance premiums may be increased was given by Premier Byron Johnson today in his annual policy speech to the Legislature.

After giving a lengthy review of the operation of the insurance service in which he said questions arising during the session in connection with administration will be dealt with by the Minister of Health and a review of amendments to the Hospital Insurance Act will be made, the Premier concluded:

"We must keep in mind the fact that to maintain the exclusive services of the scheme requires an understanding on the part of the citizens that the revenue must be sufficient to meet the costs."

Mr. Johnson did not give the losses in operation of the plan in its first year but the deficit has been estimated at $3,000,000.

The Premier reminded that since the hospital insurance service was started, financial positions of the hospitals of the province had been improved greatly.

"And for the first time in the history of this province those citizens stricken with illness are free from financial worry and anxiety which inevitably impairs recovery," he added.

In a direct reference to the premium, Mr. Johnson ventured: "Nowhere else on this continent is so wide a hospital service given for so reasonable a premium."

Starts Hotel Addition

MONTREAL (CP)—A contract has been granted Pool Construction Ltd. of Edmonton in connection with an extension of the Macdonald Hotel in that city, it was announced today. The Poole firm will carry out excavations, shoring and construction of concrete foundations for the extension of the Canadian National Railways hotel.

To Picket Taverns

CALGARY (CP) — More than 1,000 pickets representing nearly every labor union in Calgary will walk the picket lines Saturday around 18 local hotels' beer parlors currently staffed by non-union waiters, union officials said today.

British Parties Near Even Bets On Election

LONDON (AP) — A leading British bookmaker today predicted the Labor and Conservative parties would be neck-and-neck in betting odds on the eve of next Thursday's election.

Douglas Stuart Ltd.—the famed "Duggie Always Pays" bookie—said he expected the odds on both parties to be 5 to 6 "and take your choice" by Wednesday.

A flood of last-minute bets drove the odds against a Conservative victory from 5 to 4, a position it had held for the last two weeks, to 6 to 5.

This means that if you bet on the Conservatives to win you put up £5 to win £6, in the event of a Tory victory. The Labor Party, which was 8 to 13, Thursday went up to 4 to 6.

Odds against the leading possibilities for Prime Minister were unchanged, with Winston Churchill the 11 to 8 favorite and Prime Minister Clement Attlee the 6 to 4 second choice.

Switch To Oil Burners Brings Brisk Demand For Incinerators

With oil-burning stoves being installed in Victoria homes almost every day and milder weather restricting the use of furnaces, Victorians are beginning to seek ways and means of disposing of rubbish.

In the city at the present time, there is a brisk demand for garbage burners, especially the type with coils.

Victorians having no further use for these type of burners, are finding they can dispose of them quickly by dialing B 3131 to insert an ad in the Victoria Times Classified Section.

One Victorian, E. C. Moyes, 506 Pendray Street, sold his burner within two days of placing his ad.

Uniform Taxi Rate Guaranteed In City

Victorians will be guranteed a uniform taxi fare rate after March 1.

By that time, Constable R. Berry of the city police force will have completed testing all taxi meters and the meters will be sealed.

According to law, the taxi driver must turn on the meter when the trip begins. The meter will register 35 cents at the start, then increase at the rate of 10 cents a mile.

The driver of every taxi is required to call the attention of the passenger to the fare registered on the meter when the trip is completed.

No taxis may operate without meters.

Dies At Seattle

Jack Walker, 61, one of hockey's immortals, died at Seattle Thursday morning. He had been in bad health for some time.

Mrs. Ford Sick

DETROIT (AP) — Mrs. Clara Bryant Ford, widow of the automobile magnate, was reported seriously ill today. She is 83. Attendants at Ford Hospital said Mrs. Ford was in "a very dangerous condition."

Feb. 27 Tentatively Set For U.S. Rail Men's Strike

CHICAGO (UP)—Two railroad brotherhoods representing 250,000 workers said today they had refused arbitration of their dispute with the nation's railroads on rules changes and set 6 a.m., E.S.T., Feb. 27, for a strike.

They accused rail managements of failure to make "constructive" suggestions to settle the dispute. Railroad quarters here said the roads had agreed to accept arbitration.

O. R. Hughes, vice-president of the Order of Railway Conductors, and W. E. P. Chase, vice-president of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, disclosed at a news conference a letter they had sent Francis A. O'Neil, chairman of the railway mediation board, declining arbitration.

Hughes said he imagined President Truman would intervene. The President, under the National Railway Act, is expected to appoint an emergency board which could postpone the strike for at least 30 days.

Swimming Star's Mother Dies On Eve Of Son's Return

Mrs. Ina Gordon Salmon, 55, 1325 Bond Street, mother of Peter Salmon, Victoria swimmer who recently captured the 110-yard free-style event in the British Empire Games, died today.

The late Mrs. Salmon was well known in teaching, music and sports circles. She taught for many years at South Park and Craigflower Schools, and was also a piano teacher in the city. She was keenly interested in tennis and swimming.

Peter arrived in Vancouver today. His sister, Ina Marie Salmon, is currently attending the University of Washington in Seattle and is also flying home.

Mayor Percy E. George announced that the scheduled civic welcome for Peter would be postponed. A ceremony was planned to greet Salmon and coach Bruce Humber on their return from the games in New Zealand.

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Changes In Command Of B.C. Police

Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer today announced retirement of Commissioner John Shirras on Feb. 28 as head of B.C. police, and promotions of Deputy Commissioner Roger Peachey to commissioner, and Inspect C "Nobby" Clark of Vancouver to deputy commissioner. Commissioner Shirras will be retained for three months to continue on committee enquiring into Doukhobor question. (See story page 15.)

London Greets Sun

LONDON (AP)—The sun finally broke through to London today. It was the first rainless forenoon in the last 18 days.

One Woman's Day

By NANCY HODGES

ORDEAL BY CAMERA

IN RECENT DAYS I have learned that one of the painful penalties of fame—even of the most fleeting kind—is what I can only describe as ordeal by camera. I have long been allergic to cameras, but recent events have caused me to break out into an awful rash, the results of which must have been as trying to the public as to the operators of the machines.

It's bad enough when you go into a studio to sit for one of those poses which make you feel exceedingly self-conscious at the time, but fills you with wonderment when you see the finished result after the artistic touching-up by the camera artist has amazingly eliminated the wrinkles and restored some semblance of your long-lost youth.

MAJOR OPERATION

BUT THE STUDIO ordeal becomes a pleasant social function by comparison with the business of being photographed in public places and "having your 'pitcher' took" by the movie camera.

And I know whereof I speak. In addition to being photographed in unaccustomed garb in almost every conceivable pose except standing on my head, I have "starred" in a "fillum" taken in my own home at the ungodly hour of 7.30 a.m.—when even Jennifer Jones might not look at her best—under the searching glare of miniature Klieg lights and intricate and awe-inspiring camera set-ups, which gave me the feeling of being about to undergo a major operation.

NEEDED ANAESTHETIC

IN FACT, I think if the cameramen could have given me an anaesthetic the operation might have been much easier for them as well as for me. I never before realized how hard it is to pour out a cup of coffee naturally until I had to repeat it time and time again before the camera was satisfied with my technique.

And my sympathies are all with the photographers and cameramen who had the unenviable job of preserving my physiognomy for posterity—more or less! The number of times some of them have had to look at me through the revealing end of a camera must have made them allergic, too—to me!

LET THERE BE LIGHT

FOR, IN ADDITION to being bathed in the white light of publicity, you are bathed in whiter and brighter lights which, in addition to almost blinding you with their intensity at the time, are horribly revealing in their subsequent results.

Under their searching rays your physiognomy is projected to public view in all its nakedness, so to speak. And if you had any illusions about yourself beforehand, they vanish like mists before the morning sun when you see the results. Those lines which you had seen in the mirror, and which you had kidded yourself were mere faint etchings limned on your face by Time, stand out like erosions whose effect suggests a corrugated iron roof.

SAGGING CONTOURS

AS TO THE SAGGING contours of which you have long been horribly aware, they sag more than ever and look as if needing repairs by a seamstress or a facial surgeon. A tuck or two here and there, plus a dart or two at a strategic point, might work wonders, although I doubt if anything but a complete overhaul and replacement with spare parts would help much.

Don't misunderstand me. The cameraman, considering what they have had to deal with, have achieved remarkable results which lead me to paraphrase some lines by a long-dead writer:

". . . You will observe, it doesn't take
A woman of giant mould to make
A giant shadow on the wall:
And she who in our daily sight
Seems but a figure mean and small,
Outlined in Fame's illusive light,
May stalk, a silhouette (more or less,) sublime
Across the canvas of her time."

Tractor-Trailer In Spectacular Plunge

The tractor-trailer pictured above was almost completely demolished when it crashed through 200-foot guard rail and plunged down 35-foot embankment on Queen Elizabeth highway, Ontario, after a four-vehicle accident. Driver Harold Thompson, only one injured, was rescued by workers who threaded their way through fallen high-tension power lines to get to him. (SNS Photo.)

Painter Plunges To Death From 150-Foot Smokestack

A 150-foot fall from the top of the smokestack he was painting cost the life of Ernest Stadler, 1223 Lockley Street, Thursday afternoon. He was 52 years old and a native of Switzerland.

Scene of the accident was the B.C. Electric gasworks.

The rope which was holding the bo'sun's chair in which Stadler was sitting to paint the topmost part of the stack broke at a frayed spot in the pulley above him.

The contract painter fell nearly 100 feet to the roof of the boiler room and bounced and rolled to the ground.

Stadler was dead when Dr. E. L. McNiven, summoned by city police, arrived on the scene.

Accident eye-witnesses were Stadler's son, Robert, and Raymond Tucker, 2199 Lafayette Stret. The body landed between these two on the ground.

The rope was an inch thick. Defects in the rope have been due to the fact that Stadler and his son had recently been working around acids. Robert Stadler told police of this. B.C. Electric officials said Stadler was using his own equipment.

The body is at McCall Bros., funeral directors, pending funeral arrangements.

A six-year resident of Victoria Stadler came to Canada in 1920.

He is survived by his wife, Josephine, at home; one daughter, Mrs. J. (Erna) Boughey, 2635 Rose Street; two sons, Robert and Joseph, of Victoria. Joseph works on the Ss. Princess Marguerite.

Stadler was a member of the Knights of Pythias Lodge No. 61 and the Tel El Mahuta Temple No. 155, D.O.K.K.

There's No Avoiding City Publicity Men

Officials of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau no longer wait for tourists to land before they start telling them where to go and what to see.

No, sir. They tell them now aboard the boats that bring them here.

Bureau officials have arranged with the C.P.R. to broadcast a message of welcome to all passengers aboard the steamships Princess Marguerite and Princess Patricia as the ships approach the city.

The broadcast, which is recorded, gives a concise summary of attractions both in Victoria and up-island.

Dog Bites Car

SAVANNAH, Ga. (AP)—When a dog bites an automobile, without being anywhere around, that ought to be news.

M. E. McDaniels says he found a tire had been punctured by a hound's tooth which it picked up.

Californians Lead Parade Of Tourists Coming To Island

Cars from every state in the United States and from many other foreign places were seen in Victoria during 1949, George I. Warren, commissioner of the Publicity Bureau, reported at the bureau's annual meeting today in the Empress Hotel.

California cars led the parade. They numbered 8,473. Second largest contingent came from neighboring Washington. Cars from this state numbered 7,608. Oregon ranked third with 4,203.

States least represented were West Virginia, with eight; Maine with five; Delaware and South Carolina with four each.

Tiny Rhode Island, which trailed the field in 1948 with only two vehicles, had 13.

There were 17 cars from Alaska; 16 from Hawaii; five from Mexico; three from the Canal Zone and 16 from other countries.

Sleeping Places Found For 6,610

Staff at the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau was called upon during 1949 to find accommodation for 6,610 tourists who arrived in this city without hotel or auto court reservations.

The bureau performed this service without charge to either the visitors or the establishments providing accommodation.

Altogether, the bureau was called upon to handle inquiries from 52,442 people. During August alone 14,277 visitors availed themselves of the information service.

Busiest day for the travel advisers was Aug. 18 when no less than 763 persons called at the Government Street office.

Sees Challenge Years For Tourist Industry

The next few years are challenge years so far as Vancouver Island's tourist business is concerned, George I. Warren, commissioner of the Victoria and Island Publicity Bureau, declared today.

Speaking before the bureau's annual meeting in the Empress Hotel, Mr. Warren said greater effort and activity would be necessary if the tourist industry was to be increased.

The commissioner said more money would be needed by the bureau if it was to pursue its work aggressively and effectively.

"Operational costs practically have doubled in the past 10 or 15 years, and your directors have been seriously hampered in their efforts through lack of funds," he said.

Reviewing the industry during 1949, Mr. Warren observed:

"An unpleasant winter and a tardy spring affected travel to most parts of British Columbia, but had little effect on travel to Vancouver Island.

"It continued to draw its steady influx, not only of pleasure-seekers, but of people of means and substance who find in Victoria and on the island all the essentials of comfortable and contented living."

Dealing with bureau finances, Mr. Warren reported that $26,113 of the $30,000 expended by the bureau during 1949 was spent in Victoria.

Outside expenditures, he said, included $1,875 for billboards and $2,011 as the bureau's contribution to the Evergreen Playground Association's advertising budget.

Remanded For Sentence

Albert Sayer, French-Indian, was remanded to Monday afternoon for sentence on a charge of assaulting and beating a woman, after pleading guilty before Magistrate H. C. Hall in police court Thursday.

Dorothy Sedgwick said Sayer struck her several times in the face, the final blow knocking her unconscious.

In the witness box, Sayer said he had been drinking all day and that he had no knowledge of the incident.

Members To Review Country Outings

Progress being made by the Outdoor Club of Victoria in the campaign to have Mt. Brenton area, near Chemaius, taken over as a provoincial park, in order to provide southern Vancouver Island with a skiing ground of its own will be outlined by Gordon Bowes, president, at the annual dinner next Wednesday at Monterey Restaurant with a pictorial review of the past year's activities.

Miss Margaret Acland will give an account of the year's skiing.

Ted Fairhurst will describe the camping trips made in the Olympics, the Horne Lake and the Mt. Brenton areas, as well as the many one-day hikes throughout the southern island.

Jack W. Green will tell the story of the week's camping trip in Garibaldi Park last summer.

Dr. J. Fiddess wil idescribe the trip that he and 17 other members made to Della Falls in July.

All accounts will be illustrated with photographs.

Red Editor Fined

PARIS (AP)—A French court Wednesday fined a Communist editor 6,000 francs ($17) for suggesting France follow American orders in the United Nations. Florimond Bonte, the editor who is also a member of the National Assembly, wrote the offending article in the official Communist weekly France Nouvelle.

Seek City Support On Move For Mt. Brenton Park Area

City Council has been asked to give its support to a request of the Outdoor Club of Victoria that a public park be created in Mt. Brenton area, west of Chemainus.

Gordon E. Bowes, 1940 Crescent Road, wrote Mayor Percy George enclosing a brief on the subject, and stating that a copy had already been sent to Lands and Forests Minister E. T. Kenney.

"We have been advised by Mr. Kenney that, although this area is suitable, the property is privately owned and appropriations at present do not include funds for this new development," said Mr. Bowes.

"It is suggested that these difficulties are not insurmountable particularly in the face of the demonstrated interest in and demand for such facilities."

The brief claimed the site was a skiing area potentially equivalent to Vancouver's popular Mt. Seymour Park and lies within an hour and a half's drive of Victoria.

"Any demonstrations of support or representation your council would care to make to the provincial government would help us to indicate this degree of interest in such a development, among the people of the southern part of the island," Mr. Bowes said.

Navy League To Meet

TORONTO (CP) — Delegates from 14 divisions of the Navy League of Canada will meet here Feb. 24 and 25 for the League's annual meeting, D. H. Gibson, Dominion president, announced.

The two-day eruption of the volcano Krakatoa, in the Netherlands East Indies in 1883, was so violent that sounds of the explosion were heard nearly 3,000 miles.

Warm Debate In Commons On First Day Of Session

OTTAWA (CP) — The second session of the 21st Parliament of Canada opened Thursday with a minimum of formality and a suggestion of possible verbal fireworks to come.

The fanfare centred around the Speech from the Throne, read by Viscount Alexander, Governor-General. It forecast legislation to deal with increasing unemployment, falling prices and dwindling markets.

The 2,000-word speech predicted introduction of legislation to extend unemployment insurance provisions to help jobless, estimated at 323,000 by the Labor department a month ago. Also forecast was legislation concerning agriculture, trade, price support and rents.

The Speech said also the government's decision to pay grants in lieu of taxes to municipalities where there is a heavy concentration of federal property would be put into legislative form.

The speech stressed the duties of free nations, including support of the North Atlantic Pact and provision of defence forces and armaments. Preparedness "to meet any sudden onslaught is essential and the means must be provided."

FIRST CLASH

Party leaders later clashed in the Commons over procedure. M. J. Coldwell, C.C.F. leader, objected to a suggestion that debate on the Speech from the Throne be held on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, leaving Tuesdays and Thursdays for government business. He said this was a wartime procedure which delayed the debate.

George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, initiated a wrangle after Prime Minister St. Laurent had moved that the Commons committees of supply and ways and means be established today.

Mr. St. Laurent heatedly stated the government hoped to table the 1950-51 estimates next week and that he was not going to "waste" a lot of time on the first day of the session on a debate such as this.

Protests Plight Of Old People In Winter

During the recent freezing weather, the Senior Citizens' Campaign Council was called upon to distribute 27 pairs of flannelette sheets to elderly persons in this city who were without sufficient bedding, Harold Thayer, council member, reported Wednesday night at a meeting of the Victoria Trades and Labor Council.

Mr. Thayer said the plight of some old persons was pitiful. He urged all unions belonging to the labor council to affiliate with the Senior Citizens' Campaign Council to work to remedy some of the conditions which prevail.

Too Nervous For Job

Yee Sang, merchant at 1631 Government Street, reported to city detectives that a young man he judged to be 21 years old came into his store and demanded money.

The store proprietor said the young man left quickly when his demand was refused.

Boer War Veterans To Have Celebration

A celebration for Boer War veterans who now live in Victoria is planned by the Britannia and Pro Patria branches of the Canadian Legion.

The celebration, to mark the 50th anniversary of the surrender of Paardeberg, will be held Monday evening, Feb. 27, at 7.30, in the Britannia Branch.

More than 150 South African War veterans already are registered for the party. Any veteran not registered is asked to contact the secretary of one or other of the sponsoring Legion branches.

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24843—Home Town Band; I've Been Floating Down The Old Green River—Russ Morgan and his Orchestra.
24855—Rag Mop; For You My Love—Lionel Hampton and his Orchestra.
46200—Don't Be Ashamed Of Your Age; Tennessee Border, No. 2—Ernest Tubb and Red Foley.
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Views Clash On Racing As Plans To Revive Victoria Fall Fair Go Before Meeting

Horse racing was a burning topic of discussion at the annual meeting of the B.C. Agricultural Association Thursday when the question of establishing new fair grounds in the vicinity of Victoria came up for discussion.

While no vote was taken on the issue, the majority of members appeared to be in favor of establishing an exhibition with a race track. The problem remained in finding a large enough site which could include a race track.

The controversial question came up when E. M. Whyte, president, reported that a committee had found an ideal site for holding the fair, but not large enough to accommodate a race track as well.

He was referring to the 23-acre B.C. Electric Gorge Park on Tillicum Road. He said the company was prepared to hand over the park to the four municipalities of Greater Victoria.

Mr. Whyte said it would take about $300,000 to put up the necessary buildings to operate the fair. A grant of $100,000 had been promised by the federal government on condition that the provincial government made a similar grant, he said.

"This property could be made into a very fine picnic park for families,' stated Mr. Whyte.

EXPENSIVE PARK

Three hundred thousand dollars is a lot of money to spend on picnic grounds," stated Dr. Derbyshire. "There seems no rhyme or reason to the plan."

Dr. Derbyshire stated that no fair could operate successfully without racing because a large proportion of the gate receipts were received from racing patrons.

"Fairs that have operated without racing have all gone into debt," he stated.

Dr. Derbyshire said a large number of farmers in Saanich were vitally interested in the establishment of a fair with a race track. He pointed out the business of horseracing had produced in the past a large and favorable market for products of the farmer.

"I would consider the question carefully before choosing a site for a fair," he said.

William Gazzard challenged Dr. Derbyshire to prove that fairs could not be operated successfully without a racetrack.

"Horseracing attracts touts and bad characters to the city," he stated.

"I know some fairs that make plenty of money without racetracks, he added. "There is the National Exhibition in Toronto, the New York Fair. And what about the Chicago Fair?"

The speaker got no further. His voice was drowned out by the laughter and boos of some members.

Ron. B. Worley, in reply, said he felt the majority of Victorians wanted a bit of fun now and again and were in favor of horseracing.

"It is not what Mr. Gazzard wants, but what the people of Victoria want," he said. "Horseracing brings money into Victoria. It is a tourist attraction."

"As for myself," he added, "I don't mind putting an odd dollar on a horse."

Mr. Whyte brought the discussion to an end by stating that the executive had not submitted a site to the meeting for final approval. He said careful consideration to the horseracing question would be given before any decision would be made.

Secretary's Pay Raises Argument At Fair Meeting

An objection to the payment of $2,400 a year to the secretary of the B.C. Agricultural Association to manage a fair that was not in operation, led to a lively argument at the organization's annual meeting held at the Liberal Hall Thursday.

Dr. K. R. Derbyshire raised the issue by demanding an explanation from E. M. Whyte, president, for payment of a salary to Secretary W. H. Mearns. He said he believed about $19,200 had been paid out to the secretary over the last eight years to manage a fair that had not been operating.

Strongly objecting to Dr. Derbyshire's statement, Mr. Whyte said the payment of a salary to the secretary had been necessary. He pointed out that up until three years ago the Willows Fair grounds needed looking after and had earned a revenue from rentals of stables.

He said since the Willows Fair had been done away with, along with the horse racing, the committee had been attempting to find a new site for a fair.

"Besides it is necessary for any organization to retain the services of its key-men," stated Mr. Whyte. "Mr. Mearns' long experience with fairs is invaluable."

When Dr. Derbyshire appeared not to be satisfied with the explanation, Mr. Whyte charged the former with attempting to stir up trouble. He alluded to a letter mailed by Dr. Derbyshire to members of the association in which he questioned the payment of a salary to the secretary.

SAYS LETTER MISLEADING

"The letter is misleading," stated Mr. Whyte.

"I would like to know where I have said anything wrong," replied Dr. Derbyshire. "Will you please read the letter to the members."

The letter read by Mr. Whyte asked if the payment of a salary to the secretary was justified in view of the association's limited financial position. The letter also asked that a new exhibition grounds with a race track be established in the vicinity of Victoria.

The argument died down as quickly as it arose as soon as the letter was read. Dr. Derbyshire said he had no more to say on the matter.

Immediately after the discussion on the secretary's salary, Mr. Whyte and Dr. Derbyshire were both nominated to run for the office of president. Mr. Whyte defeated his opponent, receiving 53 votes. Dr. Derbyshire received 39 votes.

Other officers elected were: A. H. Cox, 1st vice-president; R. Rendle, 2nd vice-president; A. H. Hill, 3rd vice-president. John Naysmith, S. R. Bowden and W. S. Norrington, executive.

Convicted Of Assault

MONTREAL (CP) — Roger Bourdeau, 17-year-old suburban Lachine youth charged with attempted murder in the shooting of a girl who had spurned him, was found guilty on a reduced charge of assault with intent to wound. The youth had followed 17-year-old Rita Amos home last November and had shot her in the side when she told him she no longer wished to see him.

Yukon Troops Sleep In New Type Tents

By DOUG HOW

DONJEK RIVER, Yukon (CP) —Canadian troops are sleeping in tents in 40-below zero weather up here in Robert Service's Yukon, and liking it.

A reporter slept with the headquarters section of Lieut. Arthur Potts' Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry platoon Thursday night. He reports it's not the best way to spend an Arctic night, but then again it's not the worst.

FIVE TO A TENT

After four days of Exercise Sweetbriar, there are many Canadian tents scattered among the trees and off the Alaska highway. Accommodating five men, they have canvas exteriors and nylon interiors and zippered doors. They were developed by Canada's defence research.

Four Princess Pats were asleep on a floor of snow covered with evergreen boughs when the reporter arrived at 5.30 a.m. after a night patrol.

In their sleeping bags, light brown casings of nylon that took up nearly all the room, their breath came steaming forth from the hoods at the top, the men were Lieut. Potts of Saskatoon and Ptes. H. D. G. Jones of Victoria; J. C. Deforest of Stettler, Alta., and G. V. Rogers of Salisbury, N.B. Jones was sleeping with a small wireless set at his side and occasionally he would stir and mumble something like "Sugar dog Charlie, hello sugar . . ."

It was their first decent sleep in four days.

Sgt. Ron Robinson of Shelbrooke, Sask., came in from the patrol and put a big pot of coffee on a small oil burner in the quarter of the tent not occupied by the sleeping bags. No drink ever tasted better.

The food came out of cardboard boxes with American field rations for five men, providing a total of some 5,000 calories a day for each. The boxes are of five varieties; hold a wide variety of food from stews and chocolate bars to fruit juice cocktails.

Sgt. Robinson went out to report on the patrol. By the time he came back the lunch was ready.

Three or four hours later, the men were up or getting up, and eating bacon, hard tack, coffee and fruit juice cocktails. The tent was hardly warm, but the men were laughing and talking. Their morale was way up after the sleep. Outside it was 35 below.

They would probably be there for two days and figured they could really have things comfortable with that break.

Two Seek Office In Legion Branch

J. E. Carey and Alex Kilpatrick were nominated as candidates for the presidency of the Esquimalt Branch of the Canadian Legion at a meeting held Wednesday. Two other offices to be contested are sick and pensions committee, by Capt. C. D. Donald and J. E. Carey, and sergeant-at-arms, by Norman Balfour and N. Carson.

Elected by acclamation were N. Melryck, first vice-president; Gordon Lay, second vice-president; Fred Fry, treasurer; T. G. Sewell, finance; G. A. Kraeling, ways and means; A. A. Allnut, membership; Fred MacPherson, house; and Aubrey Jones, publicity.

Jewish D.P.'s In Canada Claim German Funds

WINNIPEG (CP)—More than 350 former Jewish displaced persons in Winnipeg have filed claims against the Western German government for imprisonment in Nazi concentration camps.

H. Frank, executive director of the Canadian Jewish Congress here, said Thursday the German government last week sent the Congress questionnaires for those displaced persons who wish to claim restitution. Former residents of concentration camps who were in the United States zone of Germany as of January 1947, were eligible.

Mr. Frank said the German government agreed to pay 150 marks ($28) for each month a person was in Nazi camps. Provision was made for loss of personal freedom, loss of relatives and damage to health.

He said it may be some time before the indemnities, amounting to thousands of dollars, can be paid, since the German foreign exchange board does not allow the transfer of money abroad.

"Until the economic situation changes, nothing can be done," Mr. Frank said. "The money will be held in trust by a German bloc account."

Victoria Library Reopens Wednesday

Good news for Victorians is word today from Miss Margaret Clay, librarian, that Victoria Public Library will reopen next Wednesday at 9, in its temporary headquarters, Fort and Quadra Streets.

Several unforeseen delays hindered the library from reopening in its temporary quarters earlier. The move was necessitated to allow extensive additions and improvements to the permanent building.

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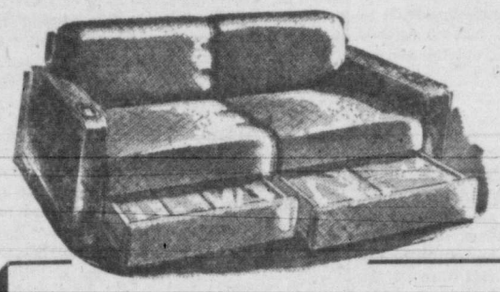

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Victoria Daily Times

Parks For Our Own Use

BRITISH COLUMBIANS ARE THOROUGHLY aware of the importance to them of the tourist trade. They are likewise aware of the importance to the visitor industry of development work to make scenic and recreation centres accessible to the people who come to this part of the world to spend their holiday dollars.

At the Natural Resources Conference here this week, however, they had their attention directed to another vital consideration in the provision of adequate outdoor recreational areas within their province. Spokesmen at the meeting—men concerned with provincial parks—devoted their attention to the broader social aspects of leisure time activity for our own people. They dealt at some length with recreation in general, emphasizing its value in improving health, mental and physical, and in curbing delinquency. As experts, they then turned their attention to the use of land tracts and the importance of reserving sections for the enjoyment of the domestic population.

The presentation of their reports comes at a particularly happy time for at least one group in our community—the Outdoor Club of Victoria. In recent months this energetic organization has been seeking public and governmental support for the reservation of the Mt. Brenton region, adjacent to Chemainus, as a park site for winter and summer activities. According to members, the district is admirably adapted for skiing four months of the year, is within easy motoring distance of major centres from Nanaimo to Victoria, and furnishes opportunities for those of our people who enjoy that sport to follow it with a minimum of expense. The club appreciates the fact that much of the land is now held by private timber interests which have permitted members to use an existing logging road to reach the ski slopes. The group has advanced the suggestion that since this district is so well suited for winter recreation, the government attempt a trade with the private concern now controlling the region in order to save the site for future development.

The case of the Outdoor Club of Victoria has considerable merit. Ski enthusiasts here—and their number is growing—must now go as far as the Forbidden Plateau or to the mainland to enjoy their favorite exercise. If an exchange of property could give them a guaranteed venue closer to home and at the same time supply a substantial tract of land suitable for summer vacationists, a double purpose would be served.

It is thoroughly understood, of course, that British Columbia has vast areas set aside for park purposes. But the fact remains that many of them are at present relatively inaccessible. The desirability of establishing recreational facilities near population centres for the enjoyment and benefit of our own people needs no argument. On the basis of the importance attached to the subject by experts within the parks department, the proposal deserves serious consideration, particularly if action can be taken at little or no expense to the taxpayers.

SOUTH AFRICAN ANACHRONISM

A QUESTION WAS POSED IN THE PARliament of South Africa this week and given an immediate answer. According to a Canadian Press dispatch from Capetown, Prime Minister Daniel F. Malan summed up the current negro attitude with the comment: "The non-European said to himself, 'If we are good enough to fight the white man's battles (in the Second World War) we are good enough to take our place on an equal footing here in South Africa'." The answer to the obvious question as to what should be done about this was provided in the next paragraph of the news item: "Justice Minister C. R. Swart said the government has provided for the use of mechanized army units if necessary to keep order."

We are not suggesting that the uprising of angry mobs should not be curbed by such methods as are found necessary, including the use of force. Only anarchy can result otherwise. And more than a dozen persons have been injured in Johannesburg in rioting during the past few days. But we do argue that under the racial policies pursued by Dr. Malan the South African situation is rapidly deteriorating. His white-supremacy, strict-segregation tactics are being imposed on a race that is at long last feeling its right to a greater say in public affairs, a greater share in the development of its homeland. More important still, these outworn tactics are being utilized at a time when the whole world is undergoing a period of very rapid evolution in the status of ruled peoples. The whole Asiatic continent has achieved, or is in the process of attempting to achieve, autonomy on national lines, freedom on racial and religious lines, a voice—whether ready for it or not—in the conduct of government.

That is a universal urge, which Premier Malan, as governmental leader of a country in which the white-skinned residents number a bare 20 per cent of the total population, could do much to guide and assist along rational and constructive channels. Instead, through fear or non-comprehension of the situation, he has chosen to try to obstruct it, to pursue policies that reflect the sentiment of the last century rather than that of the mid-Twentieth. On the face of it, his policies appear doomed to inevitable defeat. The pity is that the process may involve greater hardship for all concerned before a more enlightened course is undertaken.

NEW DISCIPLINE CODE

TO THE VAST MAJORITY OF CANAdians, the report made early last November by Rear-Admiral E. R. Mainguy, Mr. L. C. Audette, and Mr. Leonard W. Brockington, K.C., relative to incidents that had occurred aboard Canadian naval ships during the year, indicated a need for change in the attitude of certain officers toward the men. Some means had to be found to remove the "notable lack of human understanding" that existed.

The report is recalled in the light of mention in the Speech from the Throne at Ottawa of plans to reintroduce a bill consolidating existing legislation respecting the defence forces and providing for a purely Canadian code of discipline. The announcement makes welcome reading. None questions the need for discipline in the forces. But if a system can be introduced which takes full cognizance of the normal relationships which exist between Canadians—relationships which we believe ignore the more rigid social stratification of older countries—a happier situation should prevail in the forces.

What ever became of the old-fashioned boy who suffered in silence?

An old-timer is the one who can recall when there was such a thing as a quiet Sunday.

STILL NOT WANTED

IT IS JUST A YEAR SINCE A SUPERIOR Court in Montreal ruled that Count Jacques de Bernonville might remain in Canada as a political refugee. The French national had entered this country under an assumed name, suffering from tuberculosis—which is a legal bar to admittance—and with the death sentence of a French court hanging over him as the result of charges of war-time collaboration with the Germans. The lenient ruling of the court was based on a technicality—that the commission that decided on his deportation had not consisted of the three men required by law. That defect in procedure has now been remedied, and a three-man board has ordered this "immigrant" to leave the country.

The judgment will relieve the minds of a great many Canadians who were beginning to wonder what factors were at work in permitting this man to flout our immigration laws with impunity. Rank, religion, race or political adherence should have no part in applying the regulations governing entry to the Dominion. It is true that the regulations have been relaxed in some cases of bona fide refugees arriving without the proper documents. Such decisions, however, were entirely on compassionate grounds and in the interests of otherwise very worthy immigrants. But a man who enters this country under an assumed name in an effort to "beat" the regulations has shown himself a poor candidate for citizenship, quite apart from any unsavory incidents in his past. It is to be hoped that no further delay will occur in carrying out the official order.

NOT AS DESCRIBED

FEW READERS COULD FAIL TO HAVE been moved by the news item recording the plight of a 21-year-old girl—formerly resident in Canada—who accepted the invitation of the Yugoslav government to persons of Yugoslav descent to return to the homeland and work for the future of the "people's democracy." Although she, like hundreds of others, had been warned that in going to the Communist country to take up residence she risked losing her Canadian citizenship, that fact seemed of little importance in the enthusiasm engendered by Marshal Tito's encouragement.

The girl in question, according to a Canadian Press account, set out with high hopes. But the hopes were not realized, and, on behalf of herself and hundreds of others in a similarly disillusioned state of mind, she applied to Canadian authorities for permission to return to Canada. That activity earned her three months in a Yugoslav jail. When, as a result of official Canadian enquiries, she was brought to trial, she was sentenced to three months in prison. Now released, her spirit and her health are broken and she is given a limited time to live. She is still trying to arrange for a return to the Dominion.

Such incidents as these, and they are by no means isolated, should surely persuade others in this country that the Communist-run paradise is not all it is said to be. No persons with Yugoslav connections were thrown into jail in this country because they expressed a desire to go to their parents' homeland. In this Dominion are none of the restrictions of the police state, no furtive glancing over shoulders before one dare talk to a friend, no seizure and imprisonment for indefinite periods without trial. Those who wish to put themselves under totalitarianism risk the loss of the freedoms they enjoy here. The lesson of those who have gone and now are trying desperately to return should provide an effective deterrent.

The ancient cliff dwellers were smart. They didn't have to worry about floods sweeping through their homes.

Walter Lippmann

THREE BAD WEEKS

IF THE UNITED STATES' object is to make everything as easy as she can for Moscow and as difficult as possible for herself, then she has managed one way and another to do a lot during the past three weeks. But if she is still trying to win the cold war, she has hurt her own cause very seriously indeed in Asia and in Europe.

The Republican minority in Congress which adheres to Chiang, unable to impose its own policy on the administration, has nevertheless succeeded in impairing, perhaps ruining, the chances of any other policy. It cannot be their intention to hamstring the United States government. But that is precisely what they are doing.

THE RECORD shows that when they were overruled by the President on the issue of intervention in Formosa, they did not accept the decision but instead took steps to nullify it. Their method was to vote against economic aid to Korea in the House in order to logroll the administration into giving additional support to Chiang in Formosa. Their plan was to compel the administration to keep itself tied to Chiang or to sacrifice the American position in Korea.

The President and Secretary Acheson chose to appease them and agreed to buy aid to Korea with aid to Chiang. This act of appeasement was followed promptly by Chiang's use of American planes to bomb Shanghai and by his threat to bomb Peiping. When the United States protested against being involved against her will in this massacre of Chinese civilians, Chiang rejected the protests haughtily.

HE FELT able to defy the American government and to bomb the American power plant in Shanghai and the installations of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company, and to kill or maim 1,000 Chinese civilians. Why? Because he interpreted the actions in Congress as meaning that he had such strong supporters in Congress that he could thumb his nose at the President of the United States.

And what is Chiang's purpose in these raids? They have no conceivable military value in his war with the Chinese Communists. It is an insult to anyone's intelligence to argue that Chiang from Formosa with his tiny air force can defeat, or seriously injure, the Red regime of the Chinese mainland.

CHIANG'S purpose in these raids is not to fight his war but to keep the United States entangled so that his war may become her war. By using American planes and American bombs against defenceless Chinese civilians he means to provoke the Chinese into reprisals against Americans and Westerners generally. Chiang's object is to embroil the United States in a Chinese war. For he thinks that then he would get unlimited money and arms.

Nothing could suit the Kremlin better. Their object is to force Red China into the Soviet orbit and to isolate it from the United States. This is easy to do if America is represented in China only by Chiang's American airplanes killing Chinese civilians. The Russians have nothing to fear from Chiang or from any military help that Senator Knowland or Representative John Davis Lodge could or would get Congress to give to Chiang. But the Russians have everything to gain by keeping the United States permanently entangled with Chiang and forever embroiled and hated in China.

THAT IS their very best insurance against any form of Titoism in China. It is their very best way of diverting the attention of the Chinese from the north, where Chinese and Russian interests conflict to the south. For if China can be provoked into becoming engaged in a struggle for Indo-China and Thailand and Burma, what will be the result?

The struggle will surely be indecisive. But it will also be exhausting both to the Chinese and to the western nations involved. The Chinese will be too weak to win the south against the British, the French and the Americans. They will be too weak to resist the Russians in the north. On the other hand, the French will not be strong enough to reconquer Indo-China—they already have their whole professional army engaged and have denuded themselves of effective military power in Europe. But with American help the French will be strong enough to remain pinned down in a cruel and indecisive little war.

WHAT COULD suit the Russians better than to have the only land army in western Europe fighting guerrillas in Indo-China? If there is a cheaper and easier way to nullify the military aid program of the Atlantic pact, I do not know what it is.

Chiang's Republican friends in Congress are assuming an awful responsibility.

AND SIMULTANEOUSLY the United States has gravely injured her position in Europe by the thoughtless frenzy of her dealings with the hydrogen bomb. The net result of the announcements, congressional hearings and press conferences on that subject has been to inform American allies that the United States does not know how they can be defended because she is afraid she cannot even defend herself. That, I repeat, is the net result, the practical, human consequence of the unmanly, demoralizing, and most un-American yielding to panic at the sudden and belated discovery that the United States does not have undisputed military superiority.

This cannot go on, or the United States will destroy her influence in Asia and in Europe, and will worry and frighten herself into a humiliating and dangerous isolation.

Honeymoon Cottage

Sir Archibald Sinclair--'Most Respected'

London Observer Foreign News Service

THERE is a true story of Sir Archibald Sinclair, the former leader of the Liberal Party who was defeated at the last election but has a good chance of winning back his seat on Feb. 23, which sums up the man nicely. Just before the 1945 election, when he was still Secretary of State for Air in Mr. Churchill's Coalition government, the Liberal Party decided to publish a leaflet in praise of their leader. It was to include a section on his work as Air Minister, which every one agreed had been good.

REFERENCES OMITTED

The leaflet was sent to Sir Archibald for his approval. It came back with the request that the references to his time at the Air Ministry should be omitted.

"What success I have had there," he wrote, "has been due to the support of my many colleagues who must, of course, remain anonymous: it is wrong that I should be picked out for special mention just because I happened to be their political chief." So the leaflet was never published.

This exceptional modesty and integrity sets Sir Archibald apart from most of the other politicians of the day. During the life of Mr. Churchill's government he incurred the displeasure of many Liberals because he refused to take part in the political disputes of the time; he was a member of a Coalition government which was waging war, so his first loyalty must be to it.

It was largely because he had devoted all his energies to his work as Air Minister, thus neglecting his constituency, that he lost his seat at the 1945 election. And when he did lose his seat and Mr. Clement Davies succeeded him as leader of the Liberals, he made up his mind to retire into the background, lest he should embarrass Mr. Davies by appearing to challenge his leadership in the party.

Another in a series of portraits of prominent figures in the forthcoming British general election.

IMPORTANT PART

Sinclair comes from a wealthy Scottish landowning family. He was returned to Parliament for Caithness, where he lives in cold, bleak Thurso Castle, in 1922, and held the seat until 1945. The decline of the Liberal Party has prevented him from having a long ministerial career, but after succeeding Sir Herbert (now Lord) Samuel as leader of the Liberals in 1935, he played an important part in attacking the appeasement policy of the Baldwin and Chamberlain governments.

In fact, from 1935 to 1939 he and Mr. Churchill worked side by side in trying to persuade the two governments to adopt a more realistic foreign policy and at the same time make adequate preparations for war, in case it should come.

When, in 1940, dissatisfaction with Mr. Chamberlain's conduct of the war started to grow, it was Sir Archibald Sinclair who launched the attack on him with a famous speech at Edinburgh. This attack was eventually to lead to Mr. Chamberlain's resignation, the formation of the Coalition government and Sir Archibald's appointment to the Air Ministry.

Little has been heard of Sir Archibald since his defeat in the 1945 election, but if he is returned this time there can be little doubt that many Liberals would like to see him back at the head of their party. And not only Liberals would welcome him back to the House of Commons, for his personal qualities make him one of the most trusted and respected of politicians.

CAUGHT BOTH WAYS

Saturday Night

An aged Alberta farmer who was lost in 40-below weather on the prairie kept himself alive by drinking a few tots of rum from a bottle he was carrying home. The law requires that he be sent to jail for drinking in a public place, but if he had not drunk it he would have been breaking the law by committing suicide anyhow.

Walk Out And Stay Out?

By NORA BELOFF, from Lake Success

THE SOVIET decision to boycott the United Nations until the Chinese Nationalists are ousted or Chinese Communists installed seems to have backfired.

The Russians and their puppets have staged consecutive walk-outs, with all possible pomp from several committees. But in each case, the rebuffed and deserted committees, far from disintegrating, have simply kept on with their jobs.

SMOOTHER WORKING

A delegate on the committee on discrimination against minority groups summed up the general feeling when he said privately that he could never remember a period of smoother or more fruitful achievement by his committee than during the few days since the Russian exodus.

The Soviet gesture is interpreted here as a deliberate attempt to retard and obstruct the United States recognition of Communist China. Informed quarters in the United Nations suggest that the Lake Success performance should be linked to Russian-inspired incidents in China, where the Communist Chinese have maltreated American officials and requisitioned American consular property. They point to these advantages which non-recognition of the Chinese Communists by the United States gives the Kremlin in the cold war:

1. America can be identified as far and as long as possible with the discredited, reactionary and defeated cause of the Chiang Kai-Shek regime.

2. The presence of Americans and American influence can be excluded from China while the Communists consolidate their authority and eliminate resistance.

3. Several non-Communist countries, including India and Britain agree with the Russians that the Kuomintang delegates no longer represent the Government of China; therefore, the Russians may feel there is hope of introducing discord in the Western camp.

BLUSTERING TACTICS

The same quarters, however, believe that this time the Russians have overplayed their hand, and it is thought very doubtful whether their bluster-ing tactics are not having exactly the opposite results from those intended. Ultimately, Americans themselves privately agree, recognition of the Chinese Communists will become inevitable. Meanwhile, major political issues are scheduled for United Nations debate, notably the Kashmir dispute and recognition of Indonesia, which will now be discussed without Russian participation.

When the votes are cast, legal experts say, Soviet absence will be treated as equivalent to abstention which, according to established U.N. precedent, does not constitute a veto. The Russians will therefore be compelled either to swallow their pride and return to the conference table with the Chinese Nationalist until he is replaced by the due processes of law, or lose the veto power which they have hitherto used with devastating effects.

The first Soviet major rebuff came when the presence of Yugoslavs in the Security Council was accepted, despite Vyshinsky's truculent warnings at the last session of the General Assembly that the Russians would refuse to recognize Yugoslavia's election.

IGNORE TANTRUMS

This first act of defiance seems to have broken the spell of Soviet power and to have suggested to the international community that the only way to handle Russian tantrums is to ignore them. Although the U.N. secretariat still fears such behaviour may provoke the Kremlin into abandoning the U.N., there is a growing feeling among delegates that it is time to call the Soviet bluff.

A SENSIBLE MOVE

Financial Post

Manitoba is preparing to adopt permanent license plates for automobiles. Car thieves will not like this, because it will make their work more difficult, but the average motorist will certainly cheer. No longer will it be necessary to fray tempers and fingers wrestling with rusted bolts, not to mention wasting time.

GLOBAL SURVEY

By DeWITT MACKENZIE
Associated Press News Analyst

THAT hardy perennial — the call for a meeting of Russia, Britain and the United States in the interests of peace—again is in bloom and is being viewed with mixed emotions.

Britain's Winston Churchill raised this question during a speech in his general election campaign. He suggested a big three meeting on the "highest" level" to try for agreement on atomic control and a truce in the east-west cold war.

Foreign Secretary Ernest Bevin of Britain promptly dubbed Churchill's proposal a political "stunt." Agreement should be pursued through the atomic committee of the United Nations he said.

Others besides Churchill are advocating action. Newspapers on both sides of the Atlantic are editorializing vigorously pro and con.

There is no disagreement over the desirability of reaching east-west agreement. However, there's a vast divergence of views as to whether a meeting of the Big Three would be useful or whether it even would be wise to try to arrange one.

President Truman at his press conference yesterday threw cold water on the idea of a Big Three meeting abroad. He reiterated that he doesnt intend to go outside the United States to meet with Stalin or any other chief of state.

Replying to a question whether he thought the time had come to see Stalin, the president said he did not.

Only last week State Secretary Dean Acheson, in a sensational pronouncement of foreign policy, rejected all suggestions for new American peace appeals to Russia. Instead he based U.S. anti-Communist strategy squarely on a policy of power.

The secretary declared experience had brought realization that progress towards peace simply by making agreements with Russia is impossible.

CLIPPED at RANDOM

MAGNANIMOUS MAYOR

Windsor Star

Mayor Camillien Houde, M.P. for Montreal Papineau, has declined his $4,000 Commons sessional indemnity and his $2,000 expense allowance. His Worship must think he is doing sufficiently well as mayor of Montreal.

SEASONAL WORKERS

Australian News Letter

Seasonal workers are essential in many Australian rural industries but many have been attracted to the cities by high wages and more settled conditions of life.

To counter this movement the New South Wales government is considering settling them on farmlets close to country towns to give them real security, a stake in the country and a chance to supplement their incomes when seasonal work is not available.

MILITARIST PARTY

Edmonton Bulletin

It is not altogether surprising that the military clique of the old Germany has got together and formed itself into a new political party in western Germany, as is reported in a news story from Kassel.

The hopelessness of the future that stretches ahead of the German people, between the millstones of Soviet Russia and the Western bloc, will undoubtedly tempt them to experiment with almost any brand of political philosophy that offers itself.

Nevertheless it would be very surprising if Germans in any considerable number would be so stupid as to adopt the old junker formula for the relief of their present plight.

MORE ECONOMICAL

London (Ont.) Free Press

One angle to the growing realization that Canada needs a greater population which should please the farmer is that it should be more profitable, to bring consumers to the food than to ship the food to the consumer thousands of miles away. If we could manage to establish here in our own country, a domestic market of say 25,000,000 people—the figure is quite arbitrary—the farmer would have a market at his door.

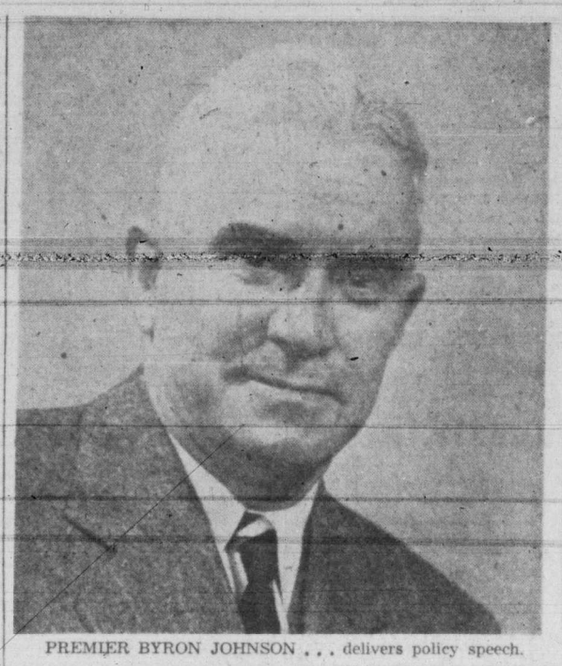
There are many reasons why we should have more persons in Canada, militarily and industrially, but this matter of food-consuming markets close to our farms is one of the more attractive features of the new scheme to stimulate the tide of immigration.

Review Government Departments With Eye To Economies—Premier

The Provincial government intends to review all of its departments to bring about economies, it was announced in the Legislature today by Premier Byron Johnson.

In his annual policy speech dealing with progress and plans the Premier said a firm of business consultants had completed a survey already of the Motor Vehicle Branch of the Attorney-General's Department, and was busy investigating another branch of the government service.

"It is the intention to review the entire service to take advantage of any savings which can be made by modernizing our accounting and general office procedures," he said.



PREMIER BYRON JOHNSON . . . delivers policy speech.

EDUCATION

The Premier said the government proposed to continue the policy of paying half the cost of constructing and equipping new school buildings.

"This means," he said, "that a school building program amounting to approximately $20,000,000 will be ensured thereby."

It was proposed also to make a $750,000 grant to U.B.C. for new buildings.

DYKING

Mr. Johnson said the reconstruction of the dyking system of the Fraser Valley was expected to be completed this spring.

To ensure proper maintenance, the government intended to introduce legislation to give it power to order work to be done and charge the cost against the property affected.

POWER

The B.C. Power Commission program of improving the availability and supply of electrical energy will be expanded wherever it can be done on a self-sustaining basis, Premier Johnson said.

In the past year more than 4,000 new customers were added to the power commission's service bringing the total to 31,619, he added.

"At the same time there was a continued decrease in the cost of electricity to consumers in 19 power districts," the Premier stated.

OIL DEVELOPMENT

"From oil enquiries now coming in there are indications that the year 1950 will see petroleum activity far exceeding that of the past year," Premier Johnson said.

At the close of 1949 a total of 27 oil operators had applied for, or were holding 4,500,000 acres of petroleum and natural gas rights under permit, license and lease.

"The government has given every encouragement to private interests to explore and develop our potential oil resources," the Premier said.

ALUMINUM INDUSTRY

On the establishment of the aluminum industry in B.C., Premier Johnson said the government will give every consideration to all interests that are affected, including the fishing industry.

Exploratory work by the Aluminum Company of Canada was continuing and "we are quite hopeful the engineering study now being made will place B.C. in a favorable position to be considered as the best location for the proposed aluminum plant."

PUBLIC WORKS

It was the government's intention, the Premier continued, to continue its policy of improving and completing main trunk roads.

"This work will be pushed forward as rapidly as funds will permit," he said.

At the same time the government will continue to increase its activities with respect to secondary highways.

Mr. Johnson said it was the hope of the government that before the session concludes it will be in a position to present to the House for ratification an agreement with the federal government with respect to the construction of the Trans-Canada Highway.

TIMBER TRADE VISIT

The Premier announced he will be absent from the Legislature for five or six days when he attends the annual meeting of the Timber Trade Federation in London, England, on March 22.

He could not turn down an invitation to speak at the meeting, he said, in view of the serious marketing problems confronting the timber industry of the province.

DOMINION-PROVINCIAL

A conference of Dominion and Provincial officials had ruled that Canada should have the power to amend her own constitution without reference to the Parliament of Britain, the Premier said.

B.C.'s suggestion that proposals for amending the constitution be sent to a committee comprising the Minister of Justice and the attorneys-general of the 10 provinces was accepted

The government proposes to introduce legislation at this session enabling the province to enter into agreements with the Dominion government and with various cities and municipalities in construction of blocks of houses, Premier Johnson stated.

He said it was intended that the houses be made available for rent or purchase, the rent being established at as low a level as construction and maintenance costs permitted.

"Every encouragement will be given to home ownership," he said.

TENTH PROVINCE

Mr. Johnson said B.C. will present a mace, designed to incorporate the symbolisms of the Dominion as a whole and the provinces of Newfoundland and B.C. in particular, to the Legislative Assembly of the new province.

It was expected the mace would be ready for delivery some time next month.

List Police Activities In 1949

Features of operations involving the Victoria Police Department and City Police Court in 1949:

Officers and detectives had 18,664 reports to attend, or 543 more than the year before.

Of 138 persons fingerprinted 72 were found to have records.

Fifty-three persons were escorted to Essondale Mental Home, seven more than in 1948.

Eight inquests and 103 inquiries held into violent and sudden deaths.

Officers found 647 premises left insecure on their downtown beats (to bring the oft-repeated police warning to merchants to check locks on doors and windows before shutting up for the night).

Four of 269 persons reported missing were not located. The year before 330 were reported missing and 328 were located.

Patrol wagon runs numbered 2,531.

City police held 298 persons in the city jail for safekeeping for the outside municipalities.

Indigents given lodgings in the Fisgard Street station totaled 166.

In the court 126 charges were either dismissed or withdrawn.

In addition to white people in court there were 163 Indians and 111 Chinese.

Three persons who attempted suicide were placed on bond to be of good behavior, for a period.

There were 231 sentences to prison without option of a fine. These chiefly involved liquor cases.

Seven persons were charged for stealing cars. Seven others got the lesser charge of taking cars without the consent of the owners.

Court handled 41 Deserted Wives Maintenance Act cases. Four husbands appeared before the magistrate for failing to provide necessities for their families.

Seven motorists got fines for driving while their licenses were under suspension.

Four motorists were sent up for trial on manslaughter charges.

Four persons were convicted for obstructing police officers in the performance of their duty.

One husband was sentenced for threatening the life of his wife.

Three persons were sent up for trial for uttering false cheques.

There were six convictions for violation of the provisions of the Unemployment Insurance Act. Eight cases of infractions of the Weekly Half Holiday Act.

Eleven persons were fined for doing wilful damage of over the value of $20.

Sixteen of 19 persons charged with obtaining money by false pretences received prison terms or fines.

Court dealt with 25 cases charging assault of the following types: Common, causing injury, indecent, and causing grievous bodily harm.

Bank Robbery Feature Of City's 1949 Crime Record

There was a decrease in major crime in Victoria last year.

Fewer cases of common and indecent assault were written into the police department records, but according to Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer there was an upward trend in the cases of theft and wilful damage. In court 44 persons were charged with theft of property under or over the value of $25.

In his report to the police commission Thursday on 1949 "incidents," the deputy chief puts the hold-up of the Canadian Bank of Commerce branch at Bay and Douglas Streets by a lone bandit Feb. 16 at 11.15 in the morning at the head of the list.

Robert Harrison, later shot to death by a policeman in Vancouver while robbing a bank was positively identified as the man who held up the Victoria bank and got $6,318. In his three-page story on the hold-up, Deputy Chief Mercer says that the police have proof Harrison had an accomplice working with him on the local scene in the hold-up.

His report tells of the many breaking-and-entering cases involving theft and the persons apprehended and convicted for the offences. Many apprehended were juveniles.

The report also deals with the "bunco game" artists who took a retired Manitoba farmer for his life's savings, the rape case involving a woman D.P. and four young boys who got five years apiece in the penitentiary for the offence.

Flier Held By Foot In Cliff Was Left, He Feared

McCHORD AIR FORCE BASE, Wash. (UP)—An injured radio operator watched his crewmates from an abandoned B-36 superbomber climb aboard a rescue boat and thought they had deserted him, an air force doctor said today.

S.-Sgt. Vitale Trippodi, 23, of Brooklyn, N.Y., was rescued by 10 buddies after he had dangled by one ankle from a tree for 12 hours. He had bailed out with 16 other crewmen over Princess Royal Island, off the British Columbia coast.

His companions put him on a ledge of a cliff, then headed for the shore to attract search parties. They said they were too weak to go back up the cliff to help Trippodi, so they boarded the fishing vessel Cape Perry when it found them.

SAW FRIENDS LEAVE

Trippodi was rescued by a Canadian landing party Wednesday night and flown here Thursday night. He told Lt. Samuel Neeley that he saw his companions board the fishing vessel.

"They all went off and left me," Trippodi sobbed.

The doctor said at first Trippodi "thought his time was up."

"You must understand he was suffering from shock and under the influence of sedatives," Neeley said.

The doctor said the 10 who left could not possibly have helped him to the beach.

"What's wrong with me?" Trippodi asked the doctor.

"You are suffering from moderate severe frost-bite of both feet, mild frost-bite of the left hand and a cold reaction on the right arm," Neeley said he replied.

"What does that mean? How long will I be here—day, a week, a month or a year?" asked the sergeant.

"Probably six weeks."

"Will I lose my feet?"

The doctor told him he didn't think so.

Neeley said the sergeant said "those Canadians are wonderful people. I wouldn't be here if that rescue party hadn't spotted me."

India May Share U.S. Aid For Defence In Orient

WASHINGTON (AP)—American arms may soon start flowing to three Asiatic countries as part of the stepped-up Truman administration effort to stop the spread of Communism in the Far East.

Officials said the state and defence departments also may recommend giving India a share of the $75,000,000 fund which President Truman has a free hand to use for military purposes in the general area of China.

A slice of undisclosed size already has been earmarked for the new United States of Indonesia. Military aid for hard-pressed Indo-China and for neighboring Thailand is reported under urgent study.

Together these three and India form a cordon whose leaders are believed ready to fight the advance of Communism from China as long as they can get U.S. backing.

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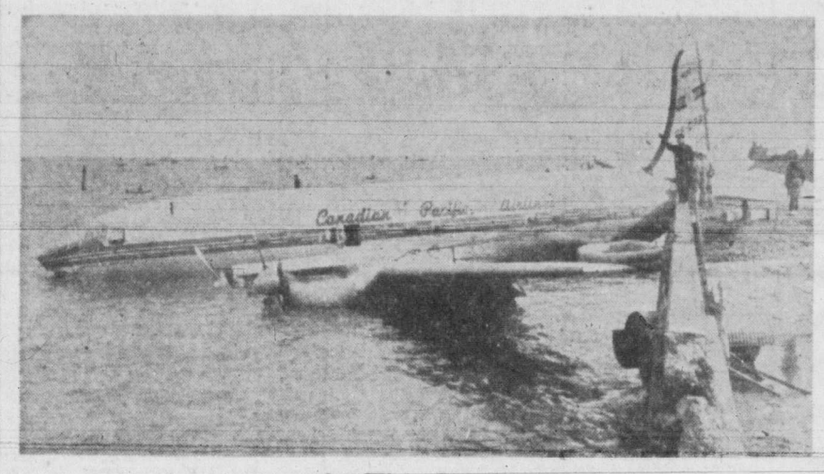

In The Drink

Four-engine Canadian Pacific Airlines plane rests in Tokyo Bay after overshooting landing at Haneda Air Base and crashing through a retaining wall. Four of the 10 passengers and five crew members aboard the plane were treated for minor injuries. The plane was inbound from Hongkong. It was damaged beyond repair.

Queen Mother Mary To Appear In Movie

LONDON (UP) — Queen Mother Mary will appear in a movie based on her activities during and after the war, the board of trade said today.

The announcement said the film would be completed in time to accompany a carpet made by the Queen to the United States, where the carpet will be sold to raise dollars for Britain's export drive.

Officials said the film would be exhibited in both the United States and Canada.

$200,000 Damage As Tile Plant At Kingston Burned

KINGSTON, Ont. (BUP) — Damage was unofficially estimated today at $200,000 in a fire that razed one of Canada's biggest tile works and left 200 of its 300 employees out of work.

Firemen still picked their way through the smoking ruins of the sprawling Frontenac Tile Works 15 hours after flames had ruined the buildings Thursday night.

The plant roof caved in shortly after firemen from Kingston and a half dozen surrounding communities answered an alarm turned in by employee Fred Miller.

A brisk wind fanned the flames to intense heat keeping firemen at a distance. Intermittent blasts could be heard up to two miles away as oil storage kilns and chemicals used in the firm's manufacturing process exploded.

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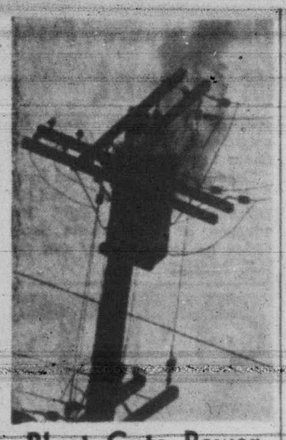

Blast Cuts Power

B.C. Electric trouble crew works to repair damage to transformer after it blew up Thursday afternoon to cut off power supply to Manning Lumber Mill, Store Street. Firemen quickly doused the flames. (Photo by Steve Findlay, Colwood Corners.)

Corsair Bought For Salvage By Mexicans

The grounded luxury yacht Corsair, which was converted from wartime use here in 1947 by Victoria Machinery Depot, has been sold to a Mexican firm for salvage.

Pacific Cruise Lines, Seattle, which operated the ship on the west coast, confirmed Wednesday that the Corsair had been sold to Junta Federal de Majoras Materiales, a firm of Acapulco and Mexico City men.

The cruise ship, once owned by banker J. P. Morgan, was beached after striking a rock in Acapulco harbor Nov. 12 last year.

Aboard her at the time were several crewmen from B.C.

The Mexican firm will try to salvage the steel hull, equipment and machinery.

College Notes

The French evening, March 10, will feature the play "Knock." Proceeds will go toward the Mme. Sanderson Scholarship.

Several programs have been recorded for use on the college radio show. The Forum, Glee Club and various other college organizations have made recordings and these will be broadcast in the near future.

Request of the Victoria College Alma Mater Society for an increase in fees has been rejected by the Greater Victoria School Board.

Prohibition was discussed at a meeting of the forum. Ray Wehner and Tom Rhodes spoke for the affirmative and David Sutherland and Dennis Levy for the negative. Chairman was Elvet Jones of the psychology department. Students voted against prohibition by 63 votes to 22.

At another meeting of the forum, Gordon Cox gave a short talk on "Why I Believe in Christ." Alf Foxgord presented his views on mercy killing. Peter Henslowe spoke in favor of compulsory military training.

Election Campaign Of Fear Winch Protests

A change in procedure of the Legislature was advocated by Opposition Leader Harold Winch Thursday when he replied to the Speech from the Throne.

First speaker after the reading of the Throne Speech should be the Premier, he asserted.

"The Premier should tell the members what has happened since the last session and what is to be expected in the present session," the C.C.F. leader declared.

As it was now, members did not know what the plans of the government were, they did not know the policies or how to deal with problems uppermost in the minds of the people.

Mr. Winch then dwelt briefly with results of the elections since 1933 and how the C.C.F. had made such inroads that in 1941 it forced a coalition of the old-line parties.

'WOULD NOT RUIN B.C.'

He said the 1949 election was a campaign of fear by the Coalition.

"I think it is despicable," he said, "to try and scare the people of the province as to what might happen if the C.C.F. assumed power."

His party would not ruin B.C., Mr. Winch said, but the Finance Minister and Attorney-General had done their best to try and impress the people that way.

Later Mr. Winch praised Attorney-General Gordon Wismer for his stand in regard to appointment of King's Counsellors.

"I congratulate the Attorney-General for refusing to follow the Finance Minister's wishes of handing out K.C.'s on a political basis. I hope the Attorney-General will stand by his guns and make the awards on merit and not on political affiliation," Mr. Winch said.

COALITION BREAK

Leader of the Opposition took the opportunity to ask again "how the Coalition marriage is making out?"

The Premier had said "all is well" but "how can everything be harmonious when there is so much knifing going on?"

He did not think Finance Minister Anscomb would ever take the Conservatives away from the Coalition.

"We've never been able to hang you together," he said. "But if you ever split, we'll hang you separately, and on the same day!"

Wife Rams Bull With Car; Saves Husband

CLEBURNE, Tex. (AP)—Seeing a bull goring her husband, Mrs. Pauline Campbell, 40, jumped into the family car and roared full tilt toward the enraged bull.

The car caught the big, rugged Jersey bull head-on, throwing it aside. Mrs. Campbell leaped from the car, picked up her injured husband, Percy, 45, and brought him from the farm to a hospital here. His condition was reported serious.

A supper dance for members and teenagers of the Esquimalt Community Centre will be held this evening from 8 to 11 in the Centre Hall, 1123 Colville Road.

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Thousands Jobless Unable To Get Benefits Says Winch

Unemployment in B.C. is seasonal to some extent, but there are thousands of jobless needing help who are unable to get unemployment insurance benefits, Opposition Leader Harold Winch said in the House Thursday.

During debate on the Speech from the Throne, the C.C.F. leader said the Dominion government was shirking its responsibility in the matter of unemployment but that did not clear the provincial authorities.

"If our people are in need it is up to the province to do something," he stated.

BENEFITS PAID

Premier Byron Johnson interrupted to say the Dominion government had paid $6,600,000 in unemployment insurance benefits and family allowances in December and January.

"I am not suggesting this is the answer but it shows that something is being done," he said.

Mr. Winch replied there was a big difference between unemployment insurance benefits and wages from work, and there still were many in need.

The Premier estimated 95 per cent of the province's unemployed would have jobs when weather conditions improved which brought from Mr. Winch:

"Do you realize what you are saying?"

"Yes," replied the Premier.

DON'T UNDERSTAND

"Then you don't understand the situation,' shoufed E. E. Winch, father of the Opposition Leader, who is the C.C.F. member for Burnaby.

"Yes," added son Harold, 'I'm afraid Mr. Premier you're getting completely out of touch with things as far as unemployment is concerned."

Opposition Leader Asks Bill Of Rights For All Citizens

Opposition Leader Harold Winch demanded a "Bill of Rights" for all citizens of Canada when he made his reply to the Speech from the Throne in the Legislature Thursday.

The C.C.F. leader told the members that Frank Calder, C.C.F. member for Atlin, the first Indian to be elected to a legislature, had all citizenship rights in Legislative Chamber.

"But once he is outside he is restricted in many ways," Mr. Winch said.

Giving native Indians full citizenship rights carried with it the responsibility of demanding that Ottawa amend its laws to provide for old age pensions, social welfare grants and other privileges enjoyed by others having the franchise.

From the Press Gallery

Mr. Winch Disappoints

By Lloyd Baker

It was Opposition Leader Harold Winch's day in the Legislature Thursday but to most observers he didn't make the best of it . . .

The C.C.F. leader who has held a seat in the House continually since 1933 seemed to lack the fire and polish he usually displays.

There was a big crowd in the public galleries to hear him reply to the Speech from the Throne. He was the only speaker of the Thursday sitting. He gave forth for an hour and 20 minutes.

As expected there were numerous tormentors on the government side. He was quite effective in putting them in their place.

But the Opposition chief didn't score as often as he might have —there was too much bone and not enough meat in his speech.

Mr. Winch delved into history at one point to criticize the Speech from the Throne for not making reference to this centenary year of government at Victoria.

"I hope that before this session is ended some recognition of this most important historical event will be recorded," he said.

Discovery of coal on Vancouver Island was one of the prime causes of the establishment of the first government here on March 11, 1850, he claimed.

Richard Blanchard (Why is the street of his name spelled with an "s" usually?) arrived to become first governor at a time when motive power of vessels plying the oceans was being changed from sail to steam, Mr. Winch said.

"This made the development of coal mines and the establishment of bunkering ports of the greatest importance," the Opposition Leader stated.

The C.C.F. leader who sometimes is called a better Coalitionist than many members on the government side of the House, was in sentimental mood at the start of his speech.

He was welcoming newcomers to the Legislature when he looked around and found several old faces which were there when he first made his entrance 17 years ago.

Bless'em. They were a grand group even though they didn't look at things the way he did. . .

That, of course, did not include his father "E. E." who was first elected to the Legislature the same time he was.

But there was good old Tom Uphill, the Labor member for Fernie, who had been a member of the Legislature since 1920; the Provincial Secretary, Hon. George Pearson, and the member for Yale, Dr. J. J. Gillis, both members the past 22 years; and Tom King, the member of Columbia, who arrived in 1931.

The ministers of Finance and Lands both entered the halls of government when he did.

Harold was 26 when first elected to the Legislature and it is believed his record of being the youngest member still stands. There are many younger than him now but none under 26.

Donald Brown, genial Coalition member for Vancouver-Burrard who was first elected to the House in 1945, is the deputy Speaker. His election to the office went unnoticed after the fanfare which accompanied the selection of Mrs. Nancy Hodges as The Speaker.

Whips for the session are Charles Morrow, Liberal; Reg. McDougall, Conservative, and Arthur Turner, C.C.F.

Morrow is the member for North Okanagan, McDougall for Vancouver-Point Grey, and Turner for Vancouver-East.

It's their job to get together on order of speakers in replies to the various major speeches of the session—Throne Speech, policy and budget.

And they are supposed to keep their respective members on their toes, to see they are on hand in the House, particularly when contentious subjects are coming up and a vote may be taken.

Premier Johnson did some checking overnight after Mr. Winch criticized him for not presenting a resolution on the opening day of the House which, it appeared, tradition called for.

The resolution had to do with the Legislature taking action against any person using bribery or corrupt methods in campaigning for election.

Mr. Johnson said he did not know what the C.C.F. leader was getting at when Mr. Winch raised the question on Wednesday.

But he looked in to the matter later and found nothing in the Constitution Act requiring passage of such a resolution.

"And I have no intention of bringing it in. The matter is covered in the Elections Act," the Premier smiled.

Ask Council Delay On Zoning Change

Request for postponement of action on an amendment to the zoning by-law to permit Class IX cleaning to be conducted in commercial districts, has been received at City Hall from Louis Zacks of Spotless Stores, Vancouver.

Mr. Zacks wrote that he had to leave on a cross-country tour Feb. 23 and wanted to speak on the amendment. He asked that the matter be laid over until the meeting of March 21.

Spotless Stores requested a change in the zoning by-law to allow them to have a dry-cleaning plant in a commercial area on the grounds that they were using non-inflammable solvents.

Howe In Brussels

BRUSSELS (Reuters) — Trade Minister C. D. Howe of Canada is here today with Mrs. Howe for a short visit to Belgium. The Canadian cabinet member has been on a European tour, and conferred with Italian government leaders in Rome last week.

Wants All Correspondence Tabled On Health Insurance Proposals

Tabling of all correspondence between Health Minister George S. Pearson and former Hospital Insurance Commissioner J. M. Hershey was demanded in the Legislature Thursday by Opposition Leader Harold Winch.

Dr. Hershey resigned as commissioner last December owing to dissatisfaction over failure of the minister to act on recommendations he had made regarding administration of the service. He now is assistant deputy minister of health in Saskatchewan.

Mr. Winch said the hospital insurance service was here to stay despite opposition by insurance companies and some members of the medical profession.

There must be something wrong with the way it was being handled, though, Mr. Winch said.

"And I don't think it's the fault of the minister," he added.

"I hope all correspondence and reports will be tabled," he continued. "The people need this scheme and I say it is here to stay."

The C.C.F. leader thought the services should have been introduced years ago and that it should be followed by complete health insurance for all.

Makes Fine Steel In Twelve Minutes

NEW YORK (AP)—A new process makes high-quality steel in 12 minutes without using fuel, two scientists reported this week.

The steel is equal in quality to open-hearth steel, they said. But it takes eight to 12 hours to make a batch of open-hearth steel, cooking it in a fire of fuel oil, or some form of gas.

The new method is called the turbo-hearth, shaped like a giant steel coffee-maker. Molten pig iron from the blast furnace is poured in. Blasts of air are shot in from the side, to blow over the molten iron.

The pig iron cooks itself to become steel. Carbon and other impurities in the pig iron supply the heat as they burn or oxidize in the air stream.

The turbo-hearth was described to the American Institute of Mining and Metallurgical Engineers by C. E. Sims, assistant director of the Batelle Memorial Institute, Columbus, Ohio, and F. L. Toy of the Carnegie-Illinois Steel Corporation, largest subsidiary of U.S. Steel Corporation.

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Women's Forum Hears New M.L.A. Speak

Mrs. T. C. Smith, centre, president of the Liberal Women's Forum, with A. D. Turnbull, new M.L.A. for the Rossland-Trail district, and Mrs. Turnbull.

More than 60 members of the Liberal Women's Forum gathered in the private dining-room at Strathcona Hotel yesterday for their annual luncheon party.

President Mrs. T. C. Smith was chairman and special guests included the speaker, A. D. Turnbull, M.L.A. for Rossland-Trail, and Mrs. Turnbull; Hon. Nancy Hodges, Speaker of the Legislature; Mrs. Byron Johnson, Mrs. Gordon Wismer, Mrs. E. T. Kenney, Mrs. H. G. Bowman, Mrs. W. T. Straith, Mrs. John Hart, Mrs. W. Poupore and Mrs. J. L. Gates.

Assisting with seating arrangements and at the door were Mrs. Blair Reid and Mrs. W. Mortimer.

Mr. Turnbull spoke briefly on the history and growth of his constituency from the days of the Hudson's Bay trading posts, the discovery of gold and silver, building of the first smelter in 1895, to the present day.

He described the natural wealth of the district, not only from an industrial standpoint but from the viewpoint of the tourist, and he showed a series of pictures of the many beauty spots and the summer and winter sports.

"To develop the tourist industry in our district, we need more and better roads," he said, and then added, "when we get those roads, we hope to introduce you to a part of British Columbia many residents of the province have never seen."

Mrs. Mortimer thanked the speaker at conclusion of the talk.

Of Personal Interest

Mrs. Frank Thomas has returned to her Rock Bay Avenue home, after spending the past weeks in Vancouver, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Leonard Pasche.

Miss Denise Mara came from Vancouver today to attend the first annual Symphony Ball this evening at the Empress Hotel. Miss Mara will stay with her mother, Mrs. F. D. Mara, 820 Pemberton Road.

Mrs. J. J. Beckett, formerly of Victoria and now of Qualicum Beach, is a visitor in the city, the guest of her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Dunn, Dallas Road. Mrs. Beckett, formerly very active in I.O.D.E. work here, came to Victoria for the opening of the Legislature, and will return to her up-island home on Sunday.

Mrs. W. R. Roskelley, regent of Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., will be a hostess at the tea hour in the Empress Hotel this afternoon to honor officers and conveners of the chapter who have served with her during the past two years. Mrs. Harry Catteral, charter member of the chapter will preside at the tea table and assisting the hostess in serving her 26 guests will be Mrs. William Blair, Mrs. J. P. D. Chadwick, and Mrs. Moulson Smith.

Daffodils, cherry blossoms and pussy willows were used to decorate the home of Mrs. R. A. Wootton last Wednesday for the afternoon and evening bridge parties given by the Women's Conservative Association. During the afternoon 14 tables were in play and in the evening there were 16 tables. Prizes, donated by Mrs. Gordon Cameron, Mrs. Hubert Lethaby, Miss Gladys Irving and Mrs. Wootton, went in the afternoon to Mrs. George Wilson, Mrs. Henry Earle and Mrs. K. Clark. Evening winners were Mrs. F. E. Patton, Mrs. C. Bishop, Miss Muriel Galt and Mrs. D. W. Adam. Mrs. Cameron presided at the tea table in the afternoon and Mrs. Herbert Anscomb in the evening. Among the evening players were wives of Conservative members of the Legislature, who were later joined by their husbands after the sessional dinner at Government House. Among the late comers were Hon. Herbert Anscomb, Hon. E. C. Carson, Hon. R. C. MacDonald, Mr. A. R. MacDougall and Air Vice-Marshal L. F. Stevenson.

Mrs. D. L. Gilbert, president of Victoria Chapter, Toronto Conservatory Alumni, entertained at her home on Richmond Road on Wednesday evening to honor Miss Florence Phillimore, well-known piano teacher, who is leaving the city this week-end to spend six months in England. Rooms were decorated with spring flowers and during the evening games were played and the honor guest delighted the gathering with a group of piano solos. Special guests included Mrs. A. J. Tullis and Mrs. Davis. Miss Phillimore was presented with a corsage bouquet of rosebuds and later Mrs. W. W. Boulter, herself a charter member of the chapter, spoke in tribute of Miss Phillimore's work with the group since 1937 when the local chapter of the alumni association was formed. Mrs. Boulter then presented a farewell gift to Miss Phillimore from members. Refreshments were served, the hostess being assisted by Mrs. Boulter, Mrs. Maurice Chandler, Miss Marjorie Fanstone and Miss Helen Gibson.

V.O.N. Reports 1,595 Visits

Monthly meeting of Victorian Order of Nurses was held at the Y.W.C.A. with Mrs. E. Mallek, president, in the chair.

Miss Marjorie Baird, branch supervisor, reported that, despite bad weather and heavy snowfall, nurses were able to drive cars and make their calls.

Total number of visits for the month was 1,595; expectant mothers and babies, 368 visits; communicable diseases, 93; cancer, 21; chronics, 493; medical and surgical, 426. Health instruction was given to 161 patients.

Miss Baird requested that calls for service be made before 2 o'clock; calls made thereafter are night calls and are more costly, she explained.

Junior V.O.N. will hold a tea March 31 at 3 in Douglas Room, Hudson's Bay Co., it was reported.

Date of the anuual rummage sale was set for March 17, and will be held in the public market.

Mrs. R. B. Horton was appointed to the committee for proposed new quarters; Col. R. H. Braide spoke briefly on insurance.

A Lenten sewing meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. R. B. Horton, 3420 Beach Drive, Feb. 22 at 2.

Nurses Hear Assistant Registrar

Mrs. Marion Botsford, left, assistant registrar, Registered Nurses' Association of B.C., and Mrs. J. Russell, president of Victoria chapter.

Victoria Chapter, Registered Nurses' Association of British Columbia, held its regular meeting at St. Joseph's Hospital Nurses' Home, last Tuesday, with Mrs. J. H. Russell, chapter president, in the chair.

Following a short business session, Mrs. Margaret Potsford, assistant registrar, R.N.A. of B.C., spoke on "Recent Developments in Registration Procedure."

The Nursing Practice Act, passed in 1918, and as amended in 1935, gives minimum requirements for schools of nursing and education requirements for schools of nursing and educational requirements for student nurses, Miss Botsford said and explained that registration is obtained by examination for resident nurses and by reciprocity for nurses coming from other countries; procedures which maintains the standards of nursing in the province and provides the public with skilled nursing care for the sick.

Registration also benefits the nurse, she said, and gives her membership in all nursing organizations which includes beside local and provincial divisions, the Canadian Nurses' Association and the International Council of Nurses.

Glee Club of St. Joseph's School of Nurses, under direction of Mrs. Nelson Ball, sang "Barcarolle," and Brahms "Lullaby." Miss Elizabeth Harding and Miss Norma Corkle gave piano selections and a group of eight presented a square dance, with Miss Bernadette Lang calling the changes.

Refreshments were served.

I.O.D.E. Chapter Names Conveners

Florence Nightingale Chapter, I.O.D.E., appointed the following conveners when they met recently:

Hospital, Mrs. G. Moody; child and family welfare, Mrs. C. Crawford; ex-service, Mrs. B. Ripley; Empire study, Mrs. G. Pinhorn; membership, Miss N. Jones; immigration, Mrs. H. Lethaby; flowers and cards, Mrs. V. Lenfesty; program, Mrs. V. Chadwick; social and telephone, Mrs. Moulson Smith.

Members decided to send two pictures of the Royal Family to an isolated school at Telegraph Creek and also arranged for members of the Victoria Light Opera Company to provide musical entertainment for patients at Royal Jubilee Hospital Pavilion, March 17.

It was announced that a St. Patrick's Day bingo party would be held March 16 at headquarters.

Mrs. J. L. Gates was appointed national delegate and Mrs. W. Blair and Mrs. Moulson Smith will assist with the year's major project.

Y.P. Societies

Christ Church — A Valentine party followed the regular business meeting of Christ Church Cathedral A.Y.P.A., last Wednesday evening with junior A.Y.P.A. members as guests. A baby identifying contest was held and other games enjoyed. Refreshments were served. Miss Lou Armstrong was party convener assisted by Miss Phyllis Bishop. Members divided into groups to discuss "Why am I a Christian," after the meeting with Norman Lidster leading the discussion. It was announced that a communion breakfast will be held on Sunday and next meeting on Ash Wednesday, members will attend church. Rehearsals for the minstrel show to be presented in May are being held twice weekly.

St. David's-By-The-Sea Women's Guild Gathers China, $40 To Replenish Stock

The sum of $40 and enough china to substantially replenish present supplies were received by the Guild of St. David's-by-the-Sea, Cordova Bay, at a tea and sale held in the church hall Wednesday afternoon.

Mrs. J. Wilmot presided at the tea urn at a table centred with a silver basket of spring foliage, silver candlesticks holding St. Valentine red tapers, arranged on either side.

Tea tables were decorated with early spring flowers arranged in moss filled seashells on doilies decorated with tiny hearts. Home-cooking table centrepiece was a cake made and decorated by Mrs. K. R. Genn in St. Valentine motif.

Mrs. B. J. Dyer was convener, assisted by Mesdames F. Pottage, H. Ranger, E. Mackenrot and Noel Andrew. Mrs. H. Stevenson and Mrs. W. Ronald sold home cooking and Mrs. A. Taylor and Mrs. C. Hill were in charge of sale of sewn articles and cards. During the tea, Mrs. Pottage and Mrs. M. Fairclough entertained with piano duets.

At the regular meeting held by St. David's Women's Guild at the home of Mrs. A. Miller, it was noted that members will observe World Day of Prayer, Feb. 24, at 3.30. A special sewing meeting will be held at home of Mrs. Pottage Feb. 28 and next meeting will be March 8 at home of Mrs. H. J. S. Reynolds.

Co-Ed Dance Features Rugby Team Ballet, Novel Trophy

College co-eds had their annual "fling" at the Crystal Garden last night. Outstanding feature of the girl-ask-boy dance was a "Parisian Potpourri," a ballet and fashion show presented by members of the college rugby team.

Another interesting event was the presentation of the time-honored "Woo - Pitching Cup." This trophy, won last year by Dave Bryn-Jones and Cicely Rossiter, is fashioned from a two-foot milk pail and is decorated with the traditional college colors blue and gold.

Girls presented boys with humorous corsage bouquets and a prize was awarded for the most original.

The dance, which featured music of Syd Glover and his orchestra, was run on a program basis, with Anne Price in charge of arrangements.

Responsible for organizing the dance were Jean McKee and Julie Horsey, executives of the Women's Undergraduate Society.

The ballet was under supervision of Phyl Wakelyn, Pat Sparks and Cory Moore. Myrna Jenkins and Di Bevan directed publicity, and Diane Arnott arranged decorations.

Danish Woman Gives Talk On Homeland

Mrs. W. Bertelsen presented an interesting and colorful word picture of her homeland, Denmark, and showed samples of Danish handicraft, at a tea held by Brentwood Women's Institute.

The affair was given to acquaint members with the country in which the Association Country Women of the World will meet in September.

It was reported that a large amount of used clothing was collected and sent to Unitarian Service Relief Committee for the destitute of Europe, and convener of parcels to England stated that a 20-pound parcel of soap had been sent to an English Institute.

Members were told that executive officers will be hostesses at a guest tea Feb. 28, commemorating Adelaide Hoodless week, and that a bridge party will be held in the institute hall, Feb. 24.

Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., Monday at 7.30; headquarters.

Bishop Cridge Chapter Ends 31-Year I.O.D.E. Membership

"Finis" was written to the 31-year era of Bishop Cridge Ministering Chapter, I.O.D.E., organized July 10, 1917 at the request of Victoria Municipal Chapter to perpetuate the name of an early Hudson's Bay chaplain, Rev. Edward Cridge, when the last meeting of that chapter was held at the home of Mrs. H. S. Beckton, 1174 Monterey Avenue, yesterday afternoon.

The chapter had as its first regent, Mrs. T. A. Laundy, who held that position until 1949.

Mrs. Laundy is a daughter of Mr. Cridge, who arrived in Victoria from England with his bride in 1855 and held his first services in the fort until the first Church of England was built.

Other officers who were elected at the first meeting were Mrs. D. R. Harris, honorary regent; Mrs. J. D. Helmcken, first vice-regent; Miss MacDonald, second vice-regent; Miss Maude Cridge, secretary; Mrs. W. Allison, treasurer; Miss Sayward, standard-bearer, and Mrs. E. Jacob, Echoes secretary.

All of the first officers and many of the members were descendants of Hudson's Bay officers or early settlers.

Mrs. D. B. E. Bullen, acting regent, presided at yesterday's meeting. Mrs. Bullen is the daughter of Mrs. Helmcken, the first vice-regent of Bishop Cridge Ministering Chapter.

Lace-Edged Hearts At Mesachie Dance

MESACHIE LAKE — Mesachie Women's Club sponsored a Valentine's dance held in the community hall. Proceeds amounting to $25 were in aid of the Solarium March of Dimes.

Donald Berry acted as master of ceremonies, and committee members were Mrs. Donald Berry, president, Mrs. Jack Drew, Mrs. Joseph Bohemier, and Mrs. Peter Thommason.

Local orchestra supplied music and square and old-time dances were featured. Hearts, lace-edged, were used as decorations in the hall and dining-room.

Tillicum—Miss E. K. Styan, a member of Tillicum School teaching staff, will speak of her recent stay in England as an exchange teacher at the regular meeting of Tillicum P.-T.A. to be held in the auditorium Monday at 8. Nominations for officers will take place.

P.-T.A. News

Willows—Willard Ireland, provincial archivist, spoke on the valuable holdings of the provincial library and gave a detailed account of many of the functions of the library, when he addressed members of Willows P.-T.A., at a meeting in the school auditorium. Members noted that the P.-T.A. project for the year is "Book Year," and a donation was made towards that effort.

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Shopping Guide

New Catsup Extractor Saves Family Dinner, Ma's Nerves

By Penny Saver

The scene is set at dinner time! Characters are mother, father, son and daughter. It's been a hard day for most of the members of the family but coming home to a hot meal of fish and chips has softened the blow. Mother is fussing about with last minute details while the rest of the family settle into their places at the table. Even the kettle is singing contentedly. . . . Then, without warning mother pulls a near case of hysterics. Seems she can't get the blooming catsup to come out of the bottle!

Father, not usually upset by such mundane occurrences, lifts an eyebrow, and in a subdued tone inquires as to what the non-mechanically inclined woman is trying to do. She tells him, between sobs, that for some reason or another the tomato sauce is making no effort whatever, to leave its container.

With the air of a martyr father beckons to bring the little trouble maker to the table and he will do his best to cope with the situation. . . . In the meantime, the fish is giving the chips a very cold eye.

With one healthy swat, father gets the catsup to move and fast, but he neglects to watch his aim. Consequently, Junior, noted for his "smashing" cashmeres, sits in a rigid silence as he watches the catsup weave a bright red floral pattern on his new white sweater.

This sad, sad story of "Dilemma at Dinner" will be a thing of the past, Madame Housewife, after you install a "Pump It" in your household. It's called the perfect tomato catsup dispenser and, after you have used one I think you'll agree.

The bright red plastic pump is easily inserted into the bottle and every last drop can be extracted with it.

A nerve saver for $1.29.

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There will be a few more rain showers before summer days so you might let the man in your house know that there are men's umbrellas selling for $1.95. They're black, featuring wooden handles, metal frames and seven ribs.

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A chic touch, right from the pages of a fashion magazine, are the novelty ties in check, stripes, polka dots, and solid colors. The ties, styled in an arrow design have been made up in crepe and taffeta materials. Priced from 74 cents up, they will add a touch of spring to your sweaters, and suits and dresses. You'll find them in almost every color including red, black, brown, green, gold and yellow.

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While we're on the topic of spring and summer now is the time to buy and save on sun glasses. For $1.34 you can buy the best in ground and polished sun glasses. They're good fitting and come in shades of blue, red and clear trim.

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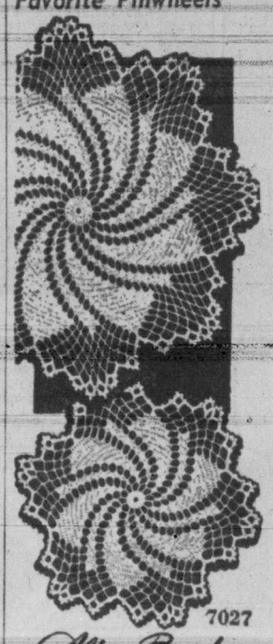
Lettuce is coming in at a new low price within a few days, should hit the counters at about 12 cents a pound and up. . . . Salmon River potatoes, the best potato on the market at the moment, will tip the scales at 10 pounds for 55 cents, or $4.75 for a hundred pound sack. They really are beauties. . . . Have you noticed the extra long bars of castile soap? The name is La Palina and the price, 19 cents. . . . Noticed Camay selling for 2 for 17 cents in one grocery store. . . . If you want a bargain in cooking dates you'll be pleased to know they sell for 27 cents a pound in bulk.

Favorite Pinwheels



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Shrove Tuesday Is Pancake Day—Be Ready With Recipe

And the day will not be complete for your menfolk (and girl folk, too!) if you don't serve them the traditional feast of appetizing golden brown pancakes. Why, Pancake Day without pancakes, would be like Christmas without the turkey and plum pudding!

So get your griddle ready! The modern pancake ready-mix does away with all the old-time bother of making up a special pancake batter. Preparing pancakes today is so simple that you can even enlist hubby's aid . . . simply give him a package of pancake flour and a mixing bowl and let him go to it! Confidentially he'll probably enjoy the honor, because most men rather pride themselves on their ability to bake grand pancakes. Another thing you'll like about pancakes is that they're so easy on the budget. Try serving them frequently as a supper dish and see what you save.

EASY PANCAKE RECIPE

Here's a good basic recipe that makes 14 to 16 medium-sized pancakes:

Two cups ready-mix for pancakes, 2¼ cups milk.

Just add water to unsifted pancake mix (all at once) and stir lightly. Pour one-quarter cup of batter for each pancake onto a hot lightly greased griddle. Bake to a golden brown, turning only once.

For greater economy substitute water for part or all of the milk. For thinner pancakes, use more milk. For extra rich pancakes add one beaten egg and two tablespoons melted shortening to pancake batter. For delicious buckwheat cakes use two cups buckwheat ready-mix to 2½ cups milk, following the above directions.

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Hints For Making Better Pancakes

Here are a few tips which will help you (or hubby) make pancakes with just that extra bit of deliciousness that counts for so much.

Measure ingredients carefully. All measurements are level; use standard measuring cup.

Stir only until flour is moistened. Over-stirring makes a less tender cake. The little lumps in the batter will come out in baking.

Be sure griddle is correct temperature. The griddle is just hot enough when a drop of water will bounce for a second before evaporating or when a spoonful of batter browns on one side in one minute!

Grease griddle very lightly using an unsalted fat. Pancakes will not stick to a griddle that has been properly seasoned. To season a griddle, cover it with a thin layer of unsalted fat or oil; heat griddle until fat begins to smoke; turn off heat and let griddle stand overnight. Remove excess fat before baking pancakes. Never scour a griddle without seasoning it again.

Pour batter for each pancake on the griddle quickly. Spooning the batter is not recommended, because the first spoonful starts to bake before the second one can be added. Pour batter from a pitcher.

Turn pancakes only once. Bake until cakes are covered with bubbles and edges look dry. Turn cakes and bake until brown on other side. Don't pat cakes or turn them more than once.

Serve pancakes "hot off the griddle." Stacking the cakes and letting them stand tends to make them soggy.

Serve butter melted — it's easier to use — goes farther. Serve syrup warmed—it brings out aroma.

Equal parts of sliced banana, diced apple and diced celery marinated in apricot whole fruit nectar accented with a little lemon juice make a very refreshing appetizer course to start off dinner.

Club Calendar

Women's Benefit Association; Review No. 1, K. of P. Hall, Cormorant Street, Monday at 7.30; cards, refreshments. . . . L'Alliance Francaise will have Jean Orieux, noted French author as speaker, at Art Centre, tonight at 8; subject, "Daily Life in Morocco"; accompanying films.

Today's Recipe

ALMOND SPONGE PUDDING

Half teaspoon salt, 4 egg whites, ¼ cup sugar, 4 egg yolks, ¼ cup sugar, ¼ teaspoon vanilla, ¼ teaspoon almond extract, 1 cup sifted pastry flour, or 1 cup less 2 tablespoons sifted all-purpose flour, ½ teaspoon baking powder.

Add salt to egg whites and beat until stiff but not dry. Gradually beat in ¼ cup sugar. Beat egg yolks and gradually beat in the remaining ¼ cup sugar and flavorings. Fold half the stiffly beaten egg whites into the beaten yolks, then add the flour which has been mixed and sifted with the baking powder, stirring lightly. Fold in the remaining egg whites. Turn into a lightly greased 8 x 8-inch cake pan. Set in a pan of hot water and oven-poach in a moderate oven, 350 degrees F., for 40 minutes. Serve with the following sauce. Yield: six to eight servings.

FRUIT SAUCE

One tablespoon cornstarch, 2 cups juice from canned fruit, dash of salt, 1 teaspoon almond extract.

Mix the cornstarch with a little of the cold juice and blend until smooth. Heat remaining juice and gradually add the cornstarch mixture and the salt. Cook about five minutes, stirring constantly, until thickened. Add flavoring. Yield: six servings.

Fulford Community Costume Party

A costume Valentine party, attended by 200 persons, was held by Fulford Community Hall committee, in the hall.

Prizes were awarded to Mr. and Mrs. G. Heinicky and Donald Layard, for their costumes as "Three Bears"; to C. H. Leigh, "a fretful baby"; Mrs. J. Grosart, Valentine; Miss B. Smith, Indian maid.

The hall was decorated by Misses Beverly and Roberta Marwick, in Valentine motif, and Rhythmeers Orchestra played for dancing.

Supper was convened by Mrs. J. French.

Proceeds will be used to assist a family whose home was burned.

Musical Arts Lecture-Recital New In Annals Of City Music

By AUDREY St.D. JOHNSON

A style of concert which promises to become one of a series having unique value for members of students, was the February event of the Victoria Musical Art Society. This was the Schubert Lecutre-Recital which took place in the Windermere Ballroom Wednesday night, before a large audience.

Lecturer was Graham Steed, Christ Church Cathedral organist, who gave a comprehensive survey of the life and work of Franz Schubert, noting the composer's adoration of Beethoven, and the fact that, amongst the great amount of wonderful music he managed to bequeath in his brief life, Schubert's major works, such as his symphonies, he never heard performed.

The program consisted of three groups of Schubert lieder and Dorothy Francis' violin choir playing arrangements of favorite Schubert numbers. Of the latter, most successful were the "Ave Maria" and the "Menuetto," in which some fine phrasing and a good body of tone were achieved.

The singers were Thelma and Harry Johns and Pierre Timp. These artists, heard all too seldom lately, were given an enthusiastic reception. Mr. Timp's rich baritone and expressive manipulation of the German language make him a singer well equipped for the performance of leider. He was particularly imposing in "The Erlking."

Thelma and Harry Johns have always been noted for the fine quality and technical facility of their singing, as well as the intelligent and sympathetic interpretations. These things are no less apparent than ever. Mrs. Johns' "Serenade" was a moving performance in a group that included several favorites. Of Dr. Johns' four songs, "The Phantom Double" and "The Omnipotence" were particularly fine.

In lieder performance, the piano part is no mere accompaniment, and Grace Timp, last night, proved herself more than ever the completely satisfying artist-in-accompaniment she undoubtedly is.

Dr. Roger Manning, president of the society, announced the award of scholarships to Terry Shaw, Louise and Stanly Martin and Sheila Bates. Also to two members now studying in Seattle, Edith McGill and Marilyn Bacon. He referred also to Irene Byatt, whose progress had been so remarkable, the society was offering her a further scholarship of $100.

Money raised by the society, said Dr. Manning, was for bursaries only, as the society was not interested in profit for its own sake.

Mrs. Mary Campbell spoke on behalf of the Victoria Musical Festival.

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Luxton Institute Honors Annual Party Hosts

The home of Mrs. A. Hankin, Happy Valley Road, was decorated in the Valentine motif, when members of Luxton and Happy Valley Women's Institute held their meeting.

As members have held their annual party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Hankin for the past 18 years, the couple were presented with a gift of china.

It was noted that members aided the Shower of Dimes, and sewing was distributed to be completed for Queen Alexandra Solarium. It was announced that leather craft classes would start Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. E. Middleton, Old Luxton Road.

Arrangements were made to hold the annual birthday party in the near future.

Gifts were exchanged by members, and gifts were also presented to members with perfect attendance for the past year.

Guides, Brownies Church Service

A combined service for guides and brownies will be held at Christ Church Cathedral on Sunday at 2.30. Dean G. R. Calvert, assisted by Rev. J. L. W. McLean, will conduct the service and collection will be forwarded to Friendship Fund. Guides and brownies will leave Memorial Hall at 2.10, parading along Rockland Avenue to the Cathedral.

Clubwomen's News

Rummage Sale—Regular meeting of Philathea Group, Metropolitan Church, was held at the home of Mrs. Edgar Holloway, 616 Trutch Street. The president, Mrs. R. Hetherington, presided. Mrs. Colbeck took the devotional. Plans were made for a rummage sale. Next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Holder, 205 Cook Street.

26th Anniversary Banquet Planned

Canadian Daughter's League, Assembly No. 5, made plans to celebrate its 26th anniversary and official visit of provincial president when they met at Newstead Realty Hall, with president, Mrs. R. Milburn presiding.

The affair will be held at next meeting, Feb. 27. A banquet to honor the provincial president will be given in the Monterey Century Room, at 6.15.

Mrs. A. C. Ross spoke on "Citizenship and Immigration," and Mrs. G. Ralston reported on Local Council of Women annual meeting.

Assembly voted a contribution to Cancer Research Fund and it was announced that patches would be taken off "Tale of the Shirt" at next meeting and money forwarded to executive of Junior Solarium League to aid in present drive for funds.

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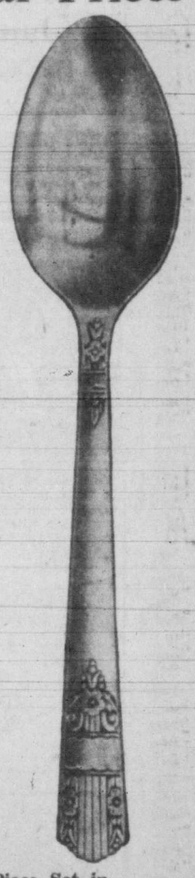
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Hollywood Review

Not Groaners Yet

By Bob Thomas

HOLLYWOOD (AP) — It's still too early to determine whether Bing Crosby's sons will follow in their famed father's footsteps. That's from "Papa Croz" himself.

The groaner was noticeably proud of the singing debut of his oldest sprout, Gary. But he doesn't know whether Gary wants a career in show business.

"Right now he's more interested in football," said Bing of his husky first-born. I asked if Gary would be allowed to make records or accept any singing dates.

"No, he's got to finish college first," Bing answered. "That goes for all the boys."

Do the other three lads show talent? "Well, they sing around the house, just like Gary. But they seem more interested in playing right now."

He added that the boys will appear on his radio show once a year, but that will be the extent of their singing and acting careers until they graduate from college.

NO MORE "ROADS"

Bing will be kept pretty busy with picture-making in the future. He has two or three films already lined up. I asked if one would be another "road" picture with Bob Hope.

"I guess not," he answered. "The studio seems to think 'road' pictures are too expensive."

The reasoning around Paramount seems to be: Why waste Hope and Crosby in the same picture when they can be making a picture apiece?

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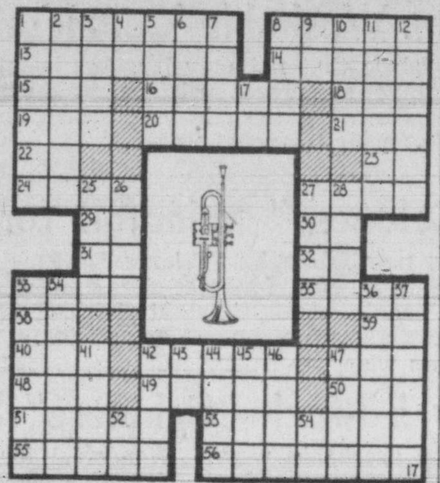


ANSWERS TO PREVIOUS PUZZLE

Unemployment Group Elects New Officers

Allan F. Tuckwell was elected president of the National Unemployment Insurance Commission Association at an annual meeting held in the Prince Robert House Wednesday.

Other officers elected were: Ed Moore, vice-president; Jack Walker, secretary; Harold Whitfield, assistant secretary; C. Baker, treasurer; V. L. Smith, assistant treasurer; J. Barr, publicist; Miss Ruth Cowan, sgt.-at-arms.

Department representatives: H. Lowden, J. Loggie, S. Chiveral, Mrs. N. Thompson; auditors, H. W. Smith and Walter Berran; delegates to regional council, J. O. Nicholls.

Made Good Move

Directors of the Publicity Bureau have come to realize the value of a good location.

In 1948, when the bureau was situated upstairs in the Arcade Building, 28,542 tourists called during the year to seek advice and information.

Last year, with the bureau housed in a modern building of its own on the busy Government Street Causeway, the number of inquiring visitors soared to 52,442.

New Gallery Head

QUEBEC (CP)—William Stewart of Canadian Press was elected Thursday president of Quebec Legislature Press Gallery, succeeding Charles Pelletier, correspondent for L'Action Catholique of Quebec and Le Droit of Ottawa.

MARIO BERINI

Metropolitan Tenor To Sing At Royal

One of the top-ranking new stars of the Metropolitan, Mario Berini, leading tenor, appears for the first time in Victoria next Tuesday evening at the Royal Theatre, on Hilker Attractions Greater Artists Series. Rated by critics one of the most outstanding box office attractions in opera today, Berini sings a varied and interesting program, planned to appeal to lovers of all types of tenor solos. Tickets are available at Fletcher's box office.

ATLAS THEATRE

When Bill Lundigan, who plays the romantic lead opposite Jeanne Crain in "Pinky," which is now at the Atlas Theatre, first went before the Twentieth Century-Fox cameras several thousand former Marine buddies wished him well.

The Gyrenes who wrote in from every state were from the 1st Marine Division, with which Lundigan served three years, engaging in operations at Peleliu and Okinawa.

ROYAL THEATRE

Dancing star Ann Miller and comedy headliner Jules Munshin, are reunited in M-G-M's new multi-starred Technicolor musical, "On the Town," now at the Royal Theatre.

Where To Go Tonight

(As Advertised)

ATLAS—"Pinky," starring Jeanne Crain and Bill Lundigan.
CAPITOL—Barbara Stanwyck and Wendell Cory in "Thelma Jordon."
DOMINION—"Bride For Sale," starring Claudette Colbert and Robert Young.
FOX—"Take Me Out to the Ball Game," starring Esther Williams and Gene Kelly.
OAK BAY—"The Woman Hater," starring Stewart Grange.
ODEON—Bette Davis and Joseph Cotton in "Beyond the Forest."
PLAZA—"Master Minds," starring Bowery Boys.
ROYAL—"On the Town," starring Gene Kelly and Frank Sinatra.

STARTING TIMES
ATLAS—2.35, 6.02, 9.34.
CAPITOL—1.00, 3.07, 5.14, 7.21, 9.28.
DOMINION—1.00, 3.09, 5.18, 7.27, 9.41.
FOX—6.45, 9.00. Sat., 1 p.m.
OAK BAY—Doors 6.30.
ODEON—1.15, 3.18, 5.21, 7.24, 9.30.
PLAZA—1.02, 3.16, 5.30, 7.44, 9.58.
ROYAL—1.00, 3.09, 5.18, 7.27, 9.39.

Times Daily Serial

I Love My Doctor

By Evelyn Barkins

CHAPTER 36

IN December I began to make excited preparations for the Bob-Agnes nuptials.

"Of course you'll go," Agnes insisted, when I hesitated at first on account of my enlarged appearance. "Probably if it hadn't been for you and John, I wouldn't have hooked my fish yet, anyway."

"Sure," said Bob. "It was contagious. Bring the baby, too."

"Well, then," I told John as we shopped for a dress, "I'll stay in a corner like the fat lady in the circus."

"Maybe you won't even be able to go to the wedding," my mother reminded me. "You might have the baby before."

"That's funny," I said, a little amused. "I'm so used to this bump of mine, I forget it's going to come off. It feels like a permanent fixture."

ERA HAD ENDED

It was not until the next week, at Bob's wedding, though, that I finally knew beyond all doubt that an era had really ended for John and me. It was a tremendous affair, held in Agnes' surprisingly magnificent house. There was a real, live butler floating about, which was enough in itself to awe the hospital crowd as they stood in a private section by themselves, and held an impromptu author-meets-critic review.

"What a layout!" breathed Janet Grayson.

"Like the Roxy's ladies' room," I suggested.

"Maybe this is what lured our confirmed bachelor away," offered the hospital bachelor, old Dr. Kreutzman.

"Of course not," said John indignantly. "Bob's not that sort. Although, naturally," he added with a big grin to disguise the fact that he too was impressed, "that stuff does help."

During the ceremony, John and I sat close together, as did most of the other couples present. There is something about a ministerial voice intoning the marriage service that is overwhelmingly conducive to hand-holding.

It was as Bob and Agnes came down the improvised aisle that the feeling of passed glory overcame me again. Bob's face had an excited, embarrassed expression on it, and Agnes' seemed dreamy and unsure and prayerful. There was much giggling and blushing and kissing. Agnes kept tasting the flavor of Mrs. Abbot over and over again, and the whole house was filled with the usual wedding atmosphere of joyous celebration for the present, and fearful hopes for the future.

"Doesn't this make you feel like an old, staid, married man?" I asked John.

"In a way," he said, "but I like it. We've got something together that they still have to work hard for—and I don't mean material things."

"Maybe," I said doubtfully, preparing to leave.

That night we went to bed early, since I was unusually tired, but I couldn't sleep. I knew that what we had was better; the harmonius pattern instead of the fumbling, the depth of feeling instead of the shallow excitement, the assured closeness instead of the groping. It was just that the adventure seemed all over, and the monotony begun.

STAID, BUT NICE

Suddenly, as I lay thinking, I felt the very first pain, and realized at once why everyone had laughed when I asked "How will I know when I'm in labor?"

"John." At my slightest touch he sprang awake as if a tornado had struck him. "I've started. Just now."

"Darling," he said, with a horrified expression. Then he jumped out of bed without the slightest remnant of his professional poise. "Got to get to the hospital," he muttered, struggling with his pyjama buttons as if they were Grand Canyon boulders he was trying to push through the holes. "Hear all kinds of stories about babies born in taxis. Very bad. Exposure."

"Taxis?" I repeated, looking at him as if he were suddenly growing horns and tusks on his head.

EXCITING MOMENT

He was hanging onto my hand, and actually shivering.

"It's c-cold in here," he explained. "The steam is of-off."

"For heaven's sake get back in bed and warm up," I groaned.

"Just ex-excited," he apologized under the covers.

"Me, too," I said, giggling.

"We'd better go," said John finally. "How do you feel?"

"Fine in between pains." Then I said, putting it into words for the first time: "Are you really warmed up? Remember now, my baby's got to have a healthy father."

"Let's go," he answered, like a paratrooper taking off from a plane; and in a frenzied confusion we dressed, summoned Freda, who had promised to answer our telephone for us whenever we would have to go to the hospital, and started for the car.

"Your bag," shouted Freda, bringing it out. "You forgot it!" She lugged the suitcase I had packed, only about six months before, into the car.

THIS IS MARRIAGE

"Ye Gods!" yelled John, as he stepped on the starter. "I clean forgot. I'd better call Grayson to deliver you. Bob's gone off on his honeymoon!"

"Honeymoon!" I scoffed, as the car sped adventurously through the cold, still, wintry night. "What's that?"

I waited for another pain before continuing.

"Honeymoons are bosh. This is really being married!" I finally finished.

But in the depths of my mind, I swear I heard a little gremlin voice say: "That's what you think now! Lady, you're never really married until you've got a house with a broken boiler, a stove without a flame, a baby in your arms, another in your hair, a husband that's belligerently hungry, and not a bite of food in the house for dinner!"

THE END

PLAZA THEATRE

Several dozen evergreen trees were transplanted from mountains near Hollywood to a studio sound stage where Monogram's "Master Minds" was filmed with Leo Gorcey as the star. The trees were used in landscaping the yard about a huge mansion where many important scenes take place. The film is currently at the Plaza Theatre.

Colbert Stars In New Comedy Role

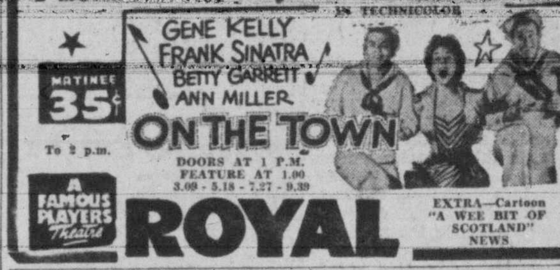
A sprightly contender for the season's laugh honors opened at the Dominion Theatre today in Crest Productions' "Bride for Sale," with Claudette Colbert, Robert Young and George Brent in the stellar roles of the comedy-romance distributed by RKO Radio.

Miss Colbert has long been one of Hollywood's finest comediennes, and in this offering she has a tailor-made part as an ultra-efficient career woman who decides to pick a husband by way of his bank account, instead of by romantic selection.

ODEON THEATRE

Sherman Sanders, the professional square-dance caller who is credited with reviving national interest in the old-time dances, will call the numbers for Bette Davis, Joseph Cotten and other dancers in Warners' "Beyond the Forest," at the Odeon Theatre.

LONDON—London Zoo's oldest employee, Bill Alden, is retiring after 43 years in the Zoo's aviary.



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EDMONTON (CP)—Sale of oil rights on a single quarter-section of land in the southeast section of the rich Redwater field for a record $1,519,101 was announced Thursday night by Mines and Minerals Minister N. E. Tanner.

The oil rights were among 12 parcels sold Thursday, netting a total of $8,999,382.24. The previous record was $918,000 paid by Tanner & Co. for a quarter-section in the Redwater field in an earlier sale.

The record price was paid by the Royalite Oil Company Ltd. of Calgary which also had an interest in two other purchases in the same section of the field.

Royalite paid $1,108,800 for a second quarter section and the firm and its associates bid $1,414,530 for a third quarter section.

Two other firms had million-dollar bids accepted. Shelburn Oil Ltd. paid $1,009,009.99 for a quarter section in the southeast section of the Redwater field and C. L. McMahon Inc. bid $1,011,701.53 for a quarter section in the Egremont area, north of Redwater, on which bids were rejected at previous sales.

The Texaco Exploration Company successfully bid on two parcels, one in the southeast section of Redwater and the other in the Egremont area, an extension of the Redwater oil field. Texaco paid $801,000 for its Redwater quarter section and another $521,000 for the Egremont quarter section.

Atlantic Oil Company Ltd. got one quarter-section parcel of the southeast extension of the Redwater field for $607,109.99, while a nearby quarter-section went to the Pacific Oil Company Ltd. for $327,109.99.

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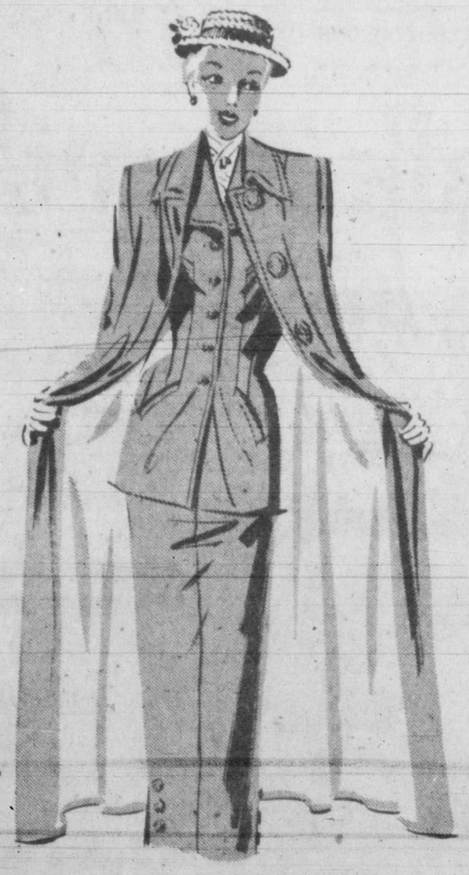

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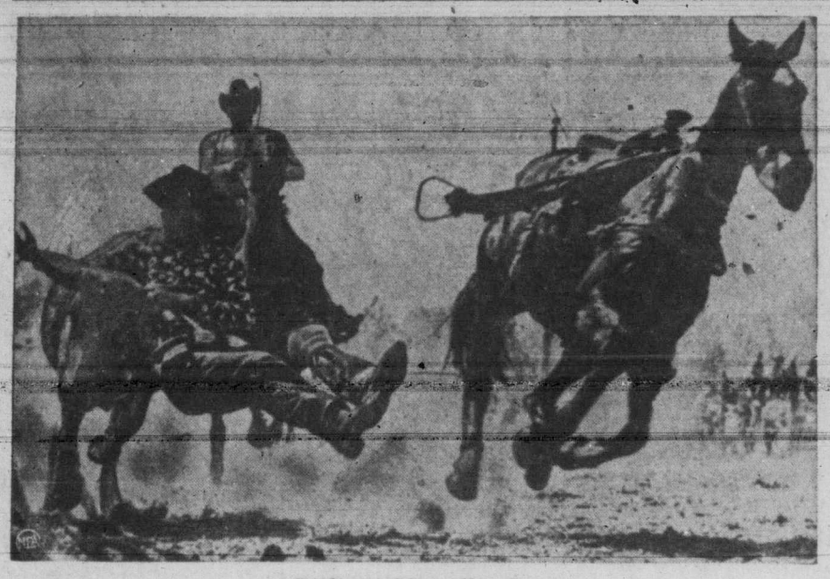

Riding Handle Bars

A cowhand rides side-saddle without the saddle, the steer's horns making a fine pair of handle bars. The photograph, made at Cloverdale, B.C., won second prize in the non-professional class of the Graflex contest for Jim Chamberlain of Bremerton, Wash.

Week-End Sports Schedule Varied

Fullest sports schedule in weeks is on tap in the city this week-end.

Saturday afternoon the honors will be divided between the Pacific Coast Soccer League game with United clashing with New Westminster Royals and the McKechnie Cup English rugby match between the Crimson Tide and Vancouver Lions.

Saturday night there's the Silver Gloves Boxing tournament at the Armories, the interclub swimming duel between Victoria Amateur Swimming Club and Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club at the Crystal Garden and the fourth game of the city senior A men's basketball playoff between Y.M.C.A. and Arrows.

In addition two knockout games are billed in the Victoria and District Soccer League both Saturday and Sunday and women's tenpin bowling championships commence at Gibson's Bowladrome Sunday.

The Coast Soccer League game sees United in action for the first time in two months at Athletic Park at 2.45.

The team line-up as released last night finds Bill McAllister in goal, Chick Newman and Murray Speller at fullbacks; Nip Sage, Red McMillan and Len Scott at halfbacks and Jack Wilce, Cedric Robb, Tom Druce Den McGee and Ab Travis, right to left, on the forward line.

ROYALS STRENGTHENED

New Westminster has recently strengthened its club with the addition of Dave Brown, Frank Ambler and John Newbold giving the Royals a powerful aggregation. It will be Westminster's first visit here this season.

Over at Macdonald Park the local Rep rugger squad with one game under its belt takes on the Lions from Vancouver. The Victoria team has undergone some changes since last Saturday's game with Varsity and coach Campbell Forbes and the team selection committee feel the changes will be for the better and the Tide stands a good chance of turning back the untried mainlanders. Game time is 2.30.

Young boxers from all over the island will be competing in the Silver Gloves mitt show at the Armories, starting at 7.30, and plenty of action is promised. Last year's Times Golden Gloves presentations drew packed houses. The tournament is being sponsored jointly by the Kinsmen Club and the Greater Victoria Boxing Association.

The swimming gala starts at 7.30 in the Crystal with the senior A basketball game slated for 9 at the High School gym.

Hockey Scores

A.H.L.
New Haven 5, Providence 2.
Springfield 2, Hershey 7.
Cincinnati 5, Indianapolis 7.
U.S.H.L.
Tulsa 3, St. Paul 3.
Omaha 5, Louisville 4.
CAPE BRETON SR.
North Sydney 5, Glace Bay 4.
MARITIME SR.
Amherst 6, Halifax 8.
QUEBEC SR.
Quebec 8, Shawinigan Falls 3.
Valleyfield 4, Sherbrooke 2.
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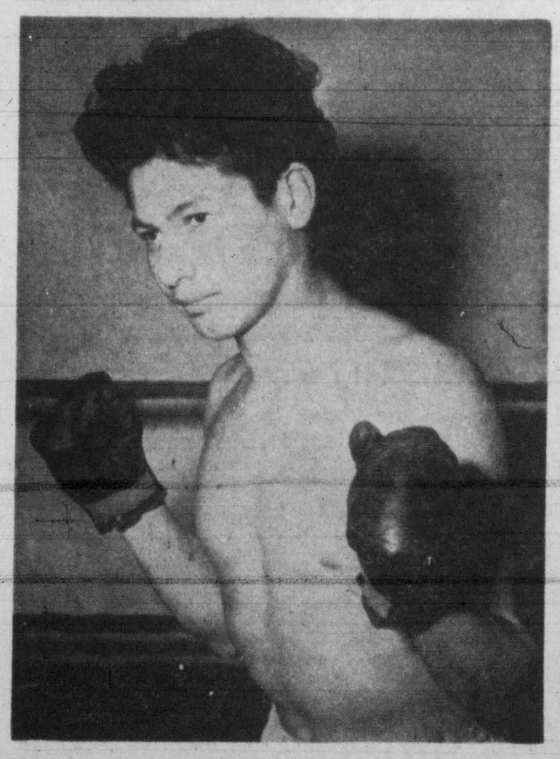
Verdun 2, Montreal Nationals 5.
O.H.A. JR.
Stratford 1, Windsor 5.
N.S.J.H.L.
Humboldt Indians 3, Flin Flon Bombers 6.
(Flin Flon leads best-of-five semifinal series, 2-0.)
THUNDER BAY JR.
Fort William Canadians 7, Port Arthur Juniors 3.

NEW YORK — Claude Hammond, 146, West New York, N.J., stopped Joey Carkido, 141¾, Youngstown, O., (3).



ISLAND SILVER GLOVES boxing championships at the Armories tomorrow night will see Phil Paul, St. Louis College, battling for the 135-pound honors. Cream of the city's young fighters will be up against strong up-island entry. Event is being sponsored jointly by the Vancouver Island Boxing Association and the Kinsmen Club. First bout is scheduled for 7.30.

Ike Williams Heavy Choice To Whip West

NEW YORK (UP) — Lightweight champion Ike Williams expects little more than a mild workout in his 10-round non-title bout tonight with Sonny Boy West of Washington, D.C., at Madison Square Garden.

West is substituting for Bernard Docusen, New Orleans welterweight who is bed-ridden with influenza.

The odds are definitely against West, who will be making his first New York appearance. Bookies were offering as high as 5 to 1 on the champion from Trenton, N.J.

West, regarded as a fair puncher, has lost only four times in 42 bouts. However, he was expected to be at the mercy of the hard-hitting, more-experienced Williams.

While the betting was light on the feature bout, there was a good deal of "action" for the two supporting eight-round bouts. Jimmy Rooney, young featherweight of Bridgeport, Conn., was favored at 6 to 5 to beat Georgie La Falgio of New York, and it was even money for the scrap between young heavyweights Charley Norkus of Bayonne, N.J., and Curt Kennedy of Wichita, Kan.

Lorraine Stocker Wins Figure Skating Club Bronze Medal

Lorraine Stocker Thursday became the first member of the Victoria Figure Skating Club to win a bronze medal as club tests were held under the judging of Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Wickson of Vancouver and J. Kilgour of Winnipeg, now a resident of the city.

All contestants were complimented for their diligent work in such a short period of time under the instruction of the club professional, Miss Lois Hardy.

Miss Stocker also ranked first in the preliminary tests. Others passing tests were: Betty McNiven, Maureen Humphries, Gelena Pipes, Ken Tomlinson, Mary Jane Cahill, Marilyn Ivings, Peggy McNiven, Janice Brinkwood, Ron Tomlinson and Evelyn Lettice.

Intership Golf Tournev Thursday

First inter-ship competition of the Royal Canadian Naval Golf Association will be held at Uplands Golf Club on Thursday.

H.M.C.S. Ontario's team holds the Inter-Ship Trophy at present. Other competing units include H.M.C.S. Naden, Destroyer Group, H.M.C.S. Dockyard and Canadian Services College.

Entries close at noon Feb. 20.

PHILADELPHIA—Honeychile Johnson, 147½, Philadelphia, outpointed Charley Salas, 149½, Phoenix, Ariz., (8).

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Sports Mirror

By PETE SALLAWAY

DON'T be surprised if the Athletics come up with a real cosmopolitan ball club next summer. Latest word is that Manager Marty Krug has gone south of the border to look over a couple of Mexican players. Seems that Krug got an awful good report on the pair and decided to take a look for himself.

Business manager Reg Patterson tells me Krug's informant was of the opinion the Mexican lads are ready for triple A competition. "My big worry if they should come with us will be to find an interpreter," Patterson said.

SHOULD Ape Saperstein decide to send along the Negro third baseman he offered the Athletics some weeks ago the A's are really going to have an all-nations lineup. Patterson disclosed today the Athletics can expect no help from the New York Yankees for the coming season. Seems the Yanks are going to send all their players east. "I may still make a deal for third baseman Frank Matoh but it will be on a purchase basis," he said. "I think it would be better for our club to be completely clear of the Yankees."

SO TED THYE plans on moving back into the Pacific Northwest wrestling picture. For years Thye and his partner, Virgil Hamelin, controlled the mat circuit in these parts with their heavyweight performers. Thye was in the driver's seat when he could offer such boys as Bob Kruse, Joe Malcewicz, Dr. Sarpolis, Andy Brown, the late Gus Sonnenberg, Tiger Daula and many other good performers. Then the calibre of Thye's grapplers went into decline and the middleweights took over. They were followed by the present crop of light heavyweights who have proven so popular in these parts. The good crowds the lighter fellows have been drawing at Vancouver must have interested Thye who apparently is again in a position to book in first-class workmen. Whether or not the fans will go for the slower heavyweights remains to be seen.

WHEN New Westminster Royals take the field here tomorrow for their Coast League soccer match against the United it will be interesting to note whether George Steele is in strip.

Steele, star inside forward for St. Andrews, signed for the Royals a couple of weeks ago. Now he doesn't know whether he belongs to the Scots or Royals. Neither St. Andrew's manager, Stan Laycock, or Royals' pilot, Malcolm Peacock, know either.

Late in January Steele decided to transfer to Royals but there was a mix-up getting his form signed before the deadline. John Richardson, secretary of the B.C. Soccer Commission, promised to see what could be done. Since then Richardson was injured in a car accident and commission has been unable to meet to decide the problem. In the meantime it looks like Steele will remain on the sidelines.

Ott 11 Votes Short On Vote For Shrine

NEW YORK (UP)—Mel Ott, who arrived at the Polo Grounds a frightened schoolboy and left it, two decades later, a national legend, failed by 11 votes to be elected to baseball's Hall of Fame, it was announced yesterday.

This was the first time in four years that the Baseball Writers' Association of America failed to elect a man to the Hall of Fame in its national poll.

The former New York Giant manager was nominated on 115 of the 167 ballots cast. A total of 126 votes was necessary for election. There will be no run-off, so Ott's chances must wait until next year.

Bill Terry, like Ott a New York Giant immortal and former manager, was second in the voting with 105. Then came Jimmy Foxx, ex-Philadelphia Athletics and Boston Red Sox slugger.

Paul Waner was fourth with 95 and Al Simmons fifth with 90. In all, 125 players of former players received votes. Only players who were active between 1924 and 1948 were eligible.

Ott is still connected with the Giants in the front office, but resigned as manager in 1948 after six luke-warm years. Before that he enjoyed 16 record-busting seasons as a player.

"Master Mel" was only a schoolboy of 16 when he first reported to the Giants with a letter of introduction from a New Orleans friend. But he stuck with the Giants and never played with a minor league club during his entire career.

He set many National League records which still stand—most home runs (511), runs scored (1,859), runs batted in (1,860), total bases (5,041), bases on balls (1,708), extra base hits (1,071) plus a host of lesser marks.

He has a life-time batting average of .304 and played in three world series and 11 all-star games.

He succeeded Terry as manager after the 1941 season, but never won a pennant in that capacity.

Codville, O'Neil Capture Bouts On Mainland

VANCOUVER — Opening punches were thrown here last night in the 11th annual British Columbia Golden Gloves boxing tournament with home and out-of-town fighters dividing honors.

Don Codville, last year's Golden Boy, moved through the first round of the welterweight division by taking a decision from Stan Diamond of Victoria. His brother Dave of Victoria also took his first bout in the same division by knocking out Ralph Shore of Vernon. In another welterweight match Jackie O'Neil, Victoria, decisioned Guy Roberts of Penticton.

In the lightweight division E. Vance, Esquimalt, dropped his bout with Doug Stammers, New Westminster.

Fifteen bouts were run off with two knockouts and six technical kayos registered. Tournament will continue tonight.

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Public Skating—3 to 5 p.m.
V.F.S.C.—6 to 7.45 p.m.
Public Skating—8 to 10 p.m.
Commercial—10 p.m. to 12 a.m.

Richard's Two Goals Earn Canadien's Draw

Maurice (Rocket) Richard has found a lot of chaps in the National Hockey League who believe in the Biblical adage about the friend "who sticketh closer than a brother." But they aren't friends: the sole reason for their chumminess is to prevent him from scoring goals for Montreal Canadiens.

Last night the Toronto Maple Leafs "Rocket Club" slipped up a little in their solicitous attendance of the rugged, 29-year-old right wing. With the greatest of glee, Maurice scampered away to score two goals and give the Canadiens a 3 to 3 tie with the visiting Leafs.

All season the greatest N.H.L. goal-scorer in recent years has been hampered by opposition players who watch his every step. But last night's goals put him back into the league scoring leadership with 29 markers—one more than Detroit's Sid Abel. Richard also has 18 assists for a total of 47 points, fourth-best mark in the circuit.

The Toronto-Montreal tussle last night was the only N.H.L. game scheduled. It left the team standings unchanged — Toronto in second place with Montreal two points behind in third. The Leafs are eight points behind the leading Red Wings.

Toronto held a 1 to 0 lead going into the second period after Bill Ezinicki scored in the opener. Then Toronto's Ted Kennedy was penalized for holding and Richard golfed in a 20-footer to tie the score at 2.47. Cal Gardner put the Leafs ahead once more before the period ended and Howie Meeker made the score 3 to 1 after the last period was half over.

From then on the Canadiens launched a savage counter assault and Leo Gravelle banged a tally through Turk Broda at 13.32. With 57 seconds left in the contest, Richard was "there" again, converting a set-up by Kenny Reardon for the stalemate.

SUMMARY

First Period—1, Toronto, Ezinicki (Gardner), 8.18. Penalties: Reardon, Thomson, Barilko, Richard, Fillion.
Second Period—2, Montreal, Richard (Reay, Harmon), 2.47; 3, Toronto, Gardner (Ezinicki, Juzda), 16.53. Penalties: Kennedy, Boesch, Mosdell, Ezinicki, Barilko.
Third Period—4, Toronto, Meeker, 10.03; 5, Montreal, Gravelle (Dussault, Lach), 13.32; 6, Montreal, Richard (Reardon), 19.03. Penalty: Reardon.

Richard Moves Back Into Lead As Goal Scorer

Maurice (The Rocket) Richard, speedy Montreal right winger, last night sank two markers to regain his lead in the sniping field with 29 in the National Hockey League individual scoring list.

With his goals and 18 assists, Richard holds steady to fourth spot in the scoring race. Still top man is Detroit's Ted Lindsay with 58, three ahead of Detroit's captain, Sid Abel, with 55. Detroit's Gordie Howe, who has 50 points, is third in the race.

Leaders follow:	G.	A.	Pts.
Lindsay, Detroit	19	39	58
Abel, Detroit	28	27	55
Howe, Detroit	25	25	50
Richard, Montreal	29	18	47
Ronty, Boston	20	25	45
D. Bentley, Chicago	13	32	45
Prystal, Chicago	25	19	44

Vic High Cagers Remain Undefeated In School League

	W.	L.	F.	A.	Pts.
House Four	3	0	163	93	8
Esquimalt Reds	2	1	103	68	6
Oak Bay Greens	3	1	145	110	6
Mount View	3	1	111	93	6
House Two	2	1	103	61	4
House One	2	2	113	92	4
House Three	2	2	143	126	4
Oak Bay Whites	0	3	61	105	0
Esquimalt Whites	0	4	71	147	0
Mount Douglas	0	4	85	205	0

The Interhigh Senior Basketball League moved close to the halfway mark yesterday with House Four of Victoria High School remaining undefeated to head the 10-team circuit.

The league-leaders had an easy time marking up their fourth straight win, a 50 to 27 decision over House Three. Led by Bob Rowe who tossed in 18 points, House Four was in command throughout, building up a 23 to 14 lead at the halfway mark and coasting in the rest of the way.

Esquimalt Reds, beaten last week in a close game, climbed back onto the winning van with a 22 to 16 decision over House One. Dockyarders held a five-point lead at the interval and boosted the margin by one in the second half. Barry Jackson was high man for winners with 10 points.

Oak Bay Greens and Mount View both chalked up wins to keep abreast of Esquimalt Reds. The former walloped Mount Douglas, 56 to 26, while Mount View measured Esquimalt Whites, 30 to 21. Kenny Barnes led the Oak Bay scorers with 12 points, but Fraser Nicholson took the individual honors for Mount Douglas with 14. Ron Stonier chalked up 10 to head Mount View.

Game between House Two and Oak Bay Whites was postponed.

House Four—Rowe 18, Wollett 4, Zarry 10, Shields 6, Sam 2, Wong, Robertson, Robb 10, Whan.
House Three—McIntosh 1, Lore 4, Lee 5, Peterson 3, Mansen, Oakley 4, Pynn 4, Powell 4, Lou Poy, Parker 2.
Oak Bay Greens—Baxter 10, Lyne 9, Barnes 12, Bowden 10, Veitch 2, Boulter 2, Burley 7, Crisp 4.
Mount Douglas—Wakelyn 3, Lum, Cornish 1, Bennett 8, Nicholson 14, Smith, Ball, Skillings.
Esquimalt Reds—Saunders 4, Jackson 10, Hunter 4, Bonar 2, Bennett 2, Laidlaw, Lewis, Sweeney.
House One—Davies, Allen 2, Bryant, Clarke 4, Affleck 4, Blair 2, Anderson 4, Cox.
Mount View—Sim 3, Snowsell 4, Stonier 10, Fatt 8, Pringle 2, Price, Mann 2, Caldwell 1.
Esquimalt Whites—Joyce 4, Ross 5, Pickering, Bethel 4, Doherty 4, Dobbie 4, Holder, Fry.

Important Lacrosse Meeting Scheduled

Annual meeting of the Greater Victoria Box Lacrosse Association will be held in the Public Schools Club Tuesday night at 8.

All teams are requested to have delegates as important business relative to the possibility of Victoria entering the Intercity League is on the agenda.

Election of officers will also be held.

Four Institutions Compete In Race

University School, Oak Bay High and Mount Douglas High will challenge the defending champion Victoria High School four-mile road race squad in this year's annual affair billed March 4.

The four-mile course will centre around the Mount Tolmie district, commencing and ending at the University School grounds, it was announced.

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Macdonald Park
SATURDAY, February 18 — 2.30 p.m.
Victoria Rugby Union Membership on Sale at Game

V.A.S.C. To Host Mainland Swimmers Here Saturday

Making a return to intercity swimming competition at the Crystal Garden Saturday night will be the Victoria Amateur Swimming Club.

At present engaged in a reorganization program, the V.A.S.C. natators will meet the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club, coached by Percy Norman, in the first intercity gala of the year.

Heading the local senior squad will be such well-known and proven competitors as Bill Doddridge, Jack Wellburn, Miles Deighton and Barry Ford.

Doddridge will enter both the freestyle and breaststroke events while the other trio will compete in the freestyle. Two promising juniors on the team are Kay Burnett and Joan Kelter. In all coach Bill Robertson will have 30 swimmers on hand for the meet.

Ronnie Crain, Pacific Northwest breaststroke champion, tops the mainland contingent.

Sixteen events are listed on the program, with both senior and junior men's and women's races included.

The pro-rec aerial display circus under the direction of Ed Kelter will entertain during the main intermission.

The gala starts as 7.

Hockey Standings

N.H.L.

	W.	L.	T.	F.	A.	Pts.
Detroit	28	15	10	172	127	66
Toronto	24	20	10	137	134	58
Montreal	21	18	14	127	116	56
New York	19	21	11	111	122	49
Boston	17	23	12	143	172	46
Chicago	17	27	9	154	175	43

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Playoff Seating Problem Settled; 'Y' Can Take City Final Saturday

Alberni supporters will occupy the east side of the High School gymnasium when the Vancouver Island senior A men's basketball playoffs get under way a week from Saturday night.

That is if manager Fred Bishop of the Alberni team accepts the offer of council member Tommy Carson of Victoria.

Carson, in a reply to Bishop's request for 300 seats, states that 108 seats on the east side of ground floor of the gymnasium will be set aside for Alberni. But if by February 24 remaining seats which total 192 are not purchased locally these seats will also be offered.

This year's Alberni club appears stronger than the 1949 squad which lost out to the "Y" in a five-game battle.

Added to last year's team are Harry Kermode and Gordie Sykes, both of whom stand at six feet four inches and are veteran performers with a world of experience.

Kermode formerly played with the University of British Columbia Thunderbirds and more recently won fame as a member of the Dominion champion Clover Leafs.

Sykes, who is a bucket specialist, is an ex-member of the Vancouver Hornets professional unit.

Other well-known members of the Athletics capable of drawing one of the five starting berths are Gordie Lynn, coach George Andrews, John Forrest and Joe Buchanan.

On the local scene the "Y" and Arrows continue their battle for the city championship at the High School tomorrow night.

It's do or die for the Arrows who will enter the game facing a two-to-one deficit in games and needing a victory to extend the series to its limit.

If a fifth and final game is necessary it will be played Wednesday night.

Preliminaries find two Victoria girls' teams hosting to Duncan fair sex squads in lower island playoffs. The curtain raiser at 7 pits Bomberettes of the city against Duncan in the junior girls' section with Bomberettes entering the fray with a 23-point advantage.

Arrow Furniture will carry a 41-point lead into their playoff encounter with Duncan intermediate B girls at 8.

Joey Maxim Gets Great Welcome From Cleveland

CLEVELAND (AP) — Handsome Joey Maxim rode happily down the main stem in a snow-pelted open convertible Thursday as thousands cheered the second world boxing champion in the city's history.

Joey had come home from England, where he won the light-heavyweight title from Freddie Mills. No sooner was he off the train than he was hustled to a ceremony and acting mayor Lee Howley expressed the town's thanks.

Johnny Kilbane of Cleveland, present at yesterday's ceremonies, held the featherweight crown from 1912 to 1924.

Then, after a parade, Maxim got down to cases about his future.

"I am going to take a rest now," he said, "but I want to get on Joe Louis' trail as quickly as possible. In our book, he's got the title and he's the boy I want to meet."

The question is whether Louis will refuse to emerge from retirement.

How It's Done

Ann Sabolowski really gets a kick out of illustrating how her average in four leagues in the New York Metropolitan District is in the neighborhood of 180. Last season she hit 190.

Your Host Sharp For $100,000 Anita Derby

ARCADIA, Cal. (UP)—Your Host, a sensation in California, gets his last big test on home grounds tomorrow in the 13th running of the $100,000 Santa Anita Derby before setting his sights on the triple crown of American racing.

But despite the presence of Your Host, at least a dozen other three-year-olds were expected to be named through the entry box today, many of them lured by the $20,000 second money and the remote possibility of an upset.

Defeat of Your Host would be the biggest upset of the winter meeting. The son of Alibhai has won two $50,000 stakes at the meeting and drilled faster than the top stakes horses preparing for the Santa Anita Handicap.

Your Host, owned by movie producer William Goetz, definitely is being aimed for the Kentucky Derby after he finishes his chores here Saturday afternoon. And after that will come the Preakness and Belmont, the two other fixtures that go to make up the triple crown.

FOLKESTONE, Eng. — John Canini plans to attempt a crossing of the English Channel on a pontoon-equipped motorcycle.

Goobers Kayo Fagan's Ban At Seals' Stadium

SAN FRANCISCO (AP) — The battle of the peanuts ended Thursday night, when President Paul Fagan of the San Francisco Baseball Club surrendered completely and apologetically to public opinion.

Fagan's ban yesterday against the sale of goobers in Seals' stadium caused a backwash of tidal proportions.

Newspaper sports sections all along the Pacific Coast League front pointed editorial fingers at Fagan for his affront to any ally that has marched hand in hand with the diamond pastime for generations. Radio newscasts sonded the depressing state of local affairs.

Fagan, who had thrown an old standby out of cosy quarters because he claimed it cost $20,000 to clean up the litter caused by empty shells, beat a hasty retreat before the barrage of indignation.

He threw up his hands and shouted "aw nuts."

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Course Too Easy Says World Ski Champion

ASPEN, Colo. (AP)—Georges Schneider is a man of utmost confidence in his skiing ability, but he is not boasting about the world slalom championship he won here yesterday.

"The course was much too easy," the blond Swiss athlete said. "In Europe, our small schoolboys would run such a course. I am accustomed to something more difficult."

There were 40 gates on the steep, 3,000-foot Aspen Mountain run where 60 men from 30 countries competed for the world slalom title. In Schneider's opinion, this was an unthinkably small number.

"In Switzerland,' he explained, "we would have 50, maybe 55, and it would be much harder."

Schneider negotiated the slalom journey twice in a combined time of two minutes, 6.4 seconds to beat out favored Zeno Colo of Italy for the world championship.

Stein Eriksen of Norway finished third.

The unofficial team score for the alpine events so far gives Austria 42, Italy 21, Switzerland 18, France 14, U.S.A. and Norway 4 each, and Canada 1. Seven other countries have not scored.

The women take the stage again today for the downhill race. A victory for Dagmar Rom of Austria would give her a grand slam of the alpine events and recognition as the all-around queen of modern-day women skiers.

The 21-year-old college student captured both of the earlier women's events, the slalom and the giant slalom.

Twenty-eight women from nine countries will contest the downhill.

Racing Results

SANTA ANITA — Results of horse racing here Thursday follow:

First Race—
Little Nipper (Arcaro) ... $4.90 $3.40 $2.60
Royal Boss (Gilisson) ... 43.70 14.20
Beach Belle (Westrope) ... 3.20
Scratched—Lady Ayila, Helen Bell, Audacious Boy, Mission Girl.

Second Race—
Include (Boland) ... $11.80 $6.10 $2.90
Red Canna (Lasswell) ... 6.50 2.90
Best Request (Longden) ... 3.30
Scratched—Windror Pearl.

Third Race—
Dark Fire (Boland) ... $10.40 $5.70 $3.70
Scots Fire (Lasswell) ... 5.90 3.90
Blue Betty (Shoemaker) ... 4.00
Scratched—Madam Fury, Garbosa, Don't Bar Me.

Fourth Race—
War Edict (Longden) ... $13.30 $6.70 $5.10
R U Kiddin (Velzke) ... 5.20 3.30
Timber Shoot (Parker) ... 5.80
Scratched—Wrightwood, Pacoima Lad, Tawny Tiger, Paani.

Fifth Race—
Saginaw (Shoemaker) ... $9.50 $4.50 $3.20
Importation (Arcaro) ... 4.20 3.20
Bullregor (Gilisson) ... 4.70
Sixth Race—
Top Turret (Gilisson) ... $11.30 $4.50 $2.50
Little Rolla (Neves) ... 4.50 2.00
Pepwell (Arcaro) ... 2.30
Scratched: Speculation.

Seventh Race—
M'Dearsy (Longden) ... $5.10 $3.20 $2.40
Jovuanne (Velzke) ... 4.00 2.70
Elle S (Lasswell) ... 3.30
Eighth Race—
Miguel (Yuetter) ... $84.10 $27.10 $9.40
Sun Fair (Longden) ... 8.70 5.20
Gail Force (Lasswell) ... 3.00
Scratched: Wire Prince, Cisco Gale, Muriel Alice, Sir Mark.

Tide Table

	Time h m	Ht ft.	Time h m	Ht ft.	Time h m	Ht ft.	Time h m	Ht ft
Feb. 18 ..	5.05	8.7	10.06	7.0	14.54	8.3	22.05	3.8
19 ..	5.06	8.7	10.51	6.5	15.48	7.9	22.38	4.6

SUNRISE and SUNSET
(Pacific Standard Time)
Feb. 18—Rises 7.17 a.m.; sets 5.39 p.m.

Prep Soccer Loop Opens Next Week

Forced to set back the opening date more than a month, due to the unplayable conditions of the grounds, the Interhigh Senior Soccer League will finally get under way next Wednesday with two games on the card.

Esquimalt High will play host to Mount View while the Victoria High entry tackles Oak Bay at the V.H.S. grounds. Mount Douglas, fifth entry in the loop, drew a bye and will see its first action March 1.

Following the conclusion of the short league schedule, the first and second-place squads will meet in a best-of-three series for the Colonist Cup, symbolic of Interhigh senior soccer supremacy.

Schedule follows:

Feb. 22—Esquimalt vs. Mount View; Vic High vs. Oak Bay.

March 1—Oak Bay vs. Esquimalt; Mount View vs. Mount Douglas.

March 8—Esquimalt vs. Vic. High; Mount Douglas vs. Oak Bay.

March 15—Mount Douglas vs. Esquimalt; Mount View vs. Vic High.

March 22—Oak Bay vs. Mount View; Vic High vs. Mount Douglas.

First-mentioned is the home team.

NEW YORK—Billy Neri, 132, Bridgeport, Conn., outpointed Al Pennino, 129½, NEW YORK (6).

Carse Hangs Up Skates For Position As Coach

VANCOUVER (CP)—Fans of the Pacific Coast Hockey League today lost one of their most colorful players — Bill (Scrap Iron) Carse, player-coach of Vancouver Canucks.

Carse, 35, henceforth will confine his hockey to coaching.

A star centre, he came to Canucks five years ago and this year succeeded Bill Cowley at the helm, but kept to the ice, still a flashy, rugged player.

Owner Coley Hall announced that "Scrap Iron"—a name tagged on Carse many years ago—will surrender the familiar No. 5 sweater to Willie Schmidt, a $2,500 purchase from Seattle.

Carse, who graduated from the corner rinks in his hometown of Edmonton, came to Vancouver 15 years ago to play pro hockey for Guy Patrick.

His mates included Clint Smith, Brian Hextall and many others who went on to make hockey history. After his second year with Patrick, posting 38 points including 29 goals, he went into the National Hockey League with New York Rangers.

They placed him with Philadelphia Ramblers, a farm team, and two years lated sold him to Chicago Black Hawks. He stayed in Chicago three years and then joined the Canadian Army, serving a stint overseas and playing with an army team.

He hadn't lost any of his color when he returned from army service, and played at a hectic pace until two months ago when he was benched by a shoulder injury.

BILL CARSE

McMorran's Win Cage Tilt But Drop Series

McMorran's intermediate B boys of the Saanich and Suburban Basketball League last night defeated Duncan, 32 to 23, in the second gam of a lower island playoff series at Sooke.

However, McMorran's fell five points short of overcoming Duncan's 14-point lead gained in the first game at Duncan last week and the up-islanders took the round, 58 to 53.

McMorran's lead 16 to 12 at half time. Ken Marson paced the auto court boys with 13 points. R. Valleau topped Olympics with nine.

CAGE PRACTICE

Elks intermediate A basketball team will practice at Fraser Street Hall tonight at 9. All players are also asked to meet at the City Hall Saturday night at 8 for transportation to Saanichton.

Sports Round-Up

By HUGH FULLERTON JR.

NEW YORK (AP)—Judging from the sounds, the guys in the fight mob must be pretty certain Joe Louis is going to stay retired. . . . Jake Mintz, Ezzard Charles's manager, has been hollering that Joe owes it to boxing, to the public, and to Ezzard to come out of retirement and give the new champion a chance to show how good he is. . . . Now Joey Maxim is back from Britain with the light-heavyweight title and (he says) a burning desire to fight Louis rather than Charles. . . . If those guys aren't careful, they may get Joe mad enough to go into serious training and belt their ears off. . . . And, speaking seriously, it doesn't make Charles and Maxim look any too good when they proclaim loudly they can't attract a big enough crowd for a real payday without Louis to help them.

ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Johnny Vander Meer finally broke down and bought a house in Tampa, Fla., Cincinnati's training base, this winter. So, of course, a short time later he was shipped to Chicago Cubs, who train in California. . . . That loud cheer from Texas Tuesday night was raised by McMurry College basketball fans when their team beat Southwestern 44 to 40, after losing 20 straight games. . . .

City League Soccer Clubs Engage In Knockout Semifinals

The Victoria and District Soccer League knockout series goes into its second round over the week-end with last week's losing clubs meeting in Phoenix Cup games as all eight teams are scheduled to see action.

Tomorrow's card finds Victoria West clashing with Oak Bay in a league's semifinal match at Heywood Avenue and Alcos meeting Canadian Legion at lower Beacon Hill in a first-round Phoenix Cup game.

On Sunday Duncan and Esquimalt will meet to decide the league's other final berth with lower Beacon Hill Park as the scene of the game.

Heaney's and Navy are slated for a Phoenix Cup game at Heywood Avenue the same day.

All games start at 2.30.

Exhibition Boxing At Vic High Tonight

Serving as a conditioner for the high school boxing tourney slated next month, three bouts will be presented between games of tonight's two-game basketball card at the Vic High gym.

Griffiths Lane and Ian Parker will meet in the opening bout with Archie Sillars and Clifford Clarke tangling in the middle attraction. In the finale, Walter Large will joust with Bob Blake.

Both will consist of two two-minute rounds each.

On the basketball bill of affairs, the Totems will stack up against Normal School in an interscholastic loop game at 9.15, while at 8, the Vic High girls play host to the Normal School girls.

Normal School Five Downs Royal Roads

Paced by sharpshooting Evan Oakley, who fired 21 points through the hoop, Normal School defeated Royal Roads 45 to 34 in a game at the latter's home floor Wednesday night.

The Cadets held a commanding 19 to 7 lead at the halfway mark, but the students came back strong in the third quarter to snatch a 31 to 23 lead.

Teams and scores follow:

Royal Roads—Tipps 12, Patterson 6, Lowry 2, Riddell 10, Ernst, Holland, Pinnsonault 4, McLeod.

Normal School —Salva 3, Henderson, Kirby, Wright 10, Bowater, Oakley 21, Wayling 2, Pezel 9.

Swim Coach Percy Norman Works On Program For 1952 Olympiad

VANCOUVER (CP) — That hidden spark marking a champion swimmer is the goal sought here where some of the best of Canada's swimmers currently are being developed.

Percy Norman, coach of Canada's swim squad to the 1936 Olympics, already has a program for the 1952 Games.

Norman no sooner took a look at the final and somewhat disappointing results of the British Empire Games just concluded in New Zealand than he had his youngest and best splashing toward what he hopes will be an Olympic triumph.

Hundreds of tots, grade-school students and other prospects churn Vancouver's Crystal Pool twice a week—Sunday and Wednesday under the eyes of Norman and his five assistants. The program is being accelerated because the Vancouver Amateur Swimming Club coach feels Canada should do something to gain ground.

In his long career as a coach, Norman has seen some of his pupils rise to international stars. "George Athans and Lynda Hunt Adams started on a springboard and a sandpile in my backyard," he recalls.

Dr. Athans won the 1950 Empire Games diving championship, placed second at the 1936 Games, and attended the 1936 Olympics. Mrs. Hunt was a Canadian champion who attended the 1936 Games and came out of retirement to compete and place in the '50 Games.

Irene Strong of Vancouver and North Vancouver's Kay McNamee are other pupils. Irene won the Sir Edward Beatty trophy as Canada's outstanding swimmer this year, competed at the Olympics last year and disappointed by not showing in Games events this month.

FAMILY AFFAIR

The swim classes sometimes draw whole families. Bob Sangster, a former provincial breaststroke king, regularly brings out his offspring—John, 13; Betty, 11; Susan, 8, and Billy, 4.

Among the potential champs is Jerry McNamee, 15-year-old brother of Kay, who already holds a United States and Canadian Pacific Northwest junior medley record. Another is 17-year-old Pat Whiteside.

"She's starting to boom now. Watch her name crop up among the greats," says Norman.

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FAREWELL TO VICTORIA for the next three months was waved this afternoon by men of the cableship Restorer which sailed from Esquimalt for the South Pacific. Left to right are: Jimmy Martens, Chilliwack; John Cherry, Chilliwack; Mike Chiperzek, Sapperton, and Harvey Graham, Vancouver.

Shirras To Close Long Career In Police Work At End Of Month

John Shirras, appointed commissioner of the B.C. Police on Oct. 31, 1947, at the end of this month will enter the retirement ranks and thus close a life-long career of police work in Scotland and British Columbia.

Attorney-General Gordon S. Wismer announced the retirement of the Provincial Police Force chief today and at the same time said that Deputy Commissioner Roger Peachey will take over command of the force Feb. 28 and that Inspector C. "Nobby" Clark of Vancouver will take over as deputy commissioner.

Born in Aberdeenshire, Scotland, Commissioner Shirras as a boy became associated with the Aberdeen police as a clerk and served in several capacities with various police organizations before coming to Vancouver Island in 1912.

After joining the Nanaimo city police he enlisted in the army and went overseas with the Canadian Expeditionary Force (103rd Bn.) and was severely wounded in action at Lens. After the war he rejoined the Nanaimo force and eventually became its head. Upon amalgamation with the provincial force in 1926, Mr. Shirras was posted to Vancouver district headquarters as sergeant-in-charge. In the years that followed he was successively promoted to staff-sergeant, deputy-inspector, inspector and, in 1940, deputy commissioner.

During the Second World War his services were lent to the B.C. Security Commission, the federally-sponsored three-man board charged with the transfer of nearly 25,000 Japanese nationals from B.C.'s coast region to the interior. The giant task was successfully carried out.

Deputy Commissioner Peachey, who will take over Commissioner Shirras' post, evinced more than ordinary interest in the police records system in his early police career, particularly in the fingerprint system. The reorganization of the provincial force in 1924 called for an entirely new and up-to-date system of criminal records and Roger Peachey had much to do with the formation of the embryo Criminal Investigation Department.

Born in London, Eng., the 58-year-old deputy commissioner came to Canada in 1912. He was one of the first to answer the call to arms in the First World War, joining the 3rd C.M.R. He won the Military Cross.

He joined the provincial police ranks on May 12, 1920, in Victoria. He was promoted to commissioned rank in 1936 and took over direction of the C.I.D. branch in 1940.

Inspector C. "Nobby" Clark, who is to become deputy commissioner, is one of the leading revolver shots of the police force.

He joined the force 34 years ago and was promoted to the rank of corporal in 1926, becoming the commissioner's secretary in Victoria. Insp. Clark was promoted to sergeant in 1930, a staff-sergeant in 1936, sub-inspector in 1937 and inspector in 1941. In 1947 he was transferred from headquarters here to command "E" division, comprising almost the whole of the lower mainland.

Accused Denies He Threatened To Kill Officer

In Saanich police court Thursday afternoon, W. A. Pomeroy, Marigold, denied he was the party who made a telephone call Jan. 31 threatening to kill Commander Ronald Jackson, H.M.C. Dockyard.

He is charged with threatening the life of the naval officer, a criminal code offence.

Magistrate H. C. Hall remanded the case to next Thursday. He requested a psychiatrist's report on accused.

Cmdr. Jackson said he later became convinced the voice on the telephone that said "I want you to get this, Jackson, and get it straight; I'm going to kill you,'" was that of accused.

The complainant said he had had trouble with Pomeroy last October when accused had been dismissed as second mate of an auxiliary naval vessel.

Claude L. Harrison, municipal prosecutor, produced telephone company records to show a telephone call was made from Pomeroy's Colquitz Exchange number Jan. 31 to the home of Cmdr. Jackson.

Pomeroy denied making the call. He said there were eight people on the same party line and that "we have lots of trouble with the telephone company as they often get calls mixed up." He said three other calls on the bill, one to Keating and two to Alberni, were not made from his home.

Pomeroy said he bore no grudge against the commander and had never threatened him. Two other dockyard employees were among the eight on his party line.

Head-On Collision Brings Driver Fine

Involved in a head-on collision with another car Feb. 3 on Cordova Bay Road, Joseph McIntyre Cordova Bay Road, was fined $35 in Saanich police court Thursday afternoon by Magistrate H. C. Hall. McIntyre pleaded guilty to careless driving.

Other car in the collision was driven by N. G. Fawcus, 1041 Jasmine Avenue. It was estimated $700 damage was done to the two vehicles.

Harold L. Hansen, H.M.C.S. Naden, was fined $15 in city police court this morning for having driven a motor vehicle with inadequate brakes.

Cleaners To Oppose Zoning Change At Council Meeting

A group of dry cleaners in Victoria, who stated they represent 90 per cent of the dry cleaning establishments, will appear before City Council meeting Feb. 21, it was learned today.

They have indicated they will present arguments against the amending of the zoning by-law, which has been requested by Spotless Stores.

The amendment, if approved by City Council would enable Class IV cleaning to be conducted in commercial districts, with the result that plants using non-inflammable solvents could be located in commercially zoned areas. At present dry cleaning plants are not allowed in commercial zones.

Lawyers Surprised By New Court Furniture

Lawyers looked with surprise at the courthouse today and wondered if what they saw was a dream.

The old 19th century oak furniture, in use since the courthouse was constructed in the early '80's, was being removed and replaced by modern desks, chairs and tables. Even carpets were being laid down in some of the rooms.

"It's the first time I've seen a change at the courthouse since I was admitted to the bar in 1908," commented H. W. Moore, a veteran lawyer. "As far as I know the old furniture is as old as the courthouse."

Lawyers were amazed at the change they saw in the barristers' room which formerly contained a large varnished oak table, a few dilapidated chairs and old cupboards. The room was refurnished with a plush carpet, modern chairs, ashtray stands and side tables.

"All we need now is a cocktail bar," said one lawyer.

"Bah," exclaimed a veteran court official. "This is foolish and just an expense. I could work just as well with the old furniture."

One court official, after viewing the change, jokingly expressed the fear that lawyers might be tempted to come to the courthouse to lounge around in the comfortable chairs.

The new furniture was promised last year by Attorney-General Gordon Wismer.

Mrs. Florence M. Moore, 738 Fort Street, was remanded to next Thursday after judgment on a charge of careless driving at the conclusion of her trial in Saanich police court Thursday afternoon. Car she was driving Feb. 23 was in collision with another driven by Sgt. John Higgins, Patricia Bay R.C.A.F. station.

New Parish Hall For Oak Bay Church

Purchase of a former army building for use as a parish hall adjoining Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Haultain Street, has been approved by Oak Bay Council.

The building, now situated at the former Gordon Head army camp, will comply with building regulations council was told by bulding inspector P. K. Cunningham. It will be remodelled.

A cheque for $500 was submitted to council by the men's society of the church in order that the building could be purchased from the Citizens' Rehabilitation Council.

Two Victorians In Yukon Exercise

Two Victorians and a former local resident are taking part in exercise "Sweetbriar" at Whitehorse, Yukon Territory, it was learned today.

They are: Lieut. R. Harold Murphy, 2675 Topp Avenue, a member of the Canadian Army Provost Corps at B.C. headquarters in Vancouver, who is participating in the manoeuvres as officer commanding the provost section; Lieut. Hubert A. Gray, 2751 Gosworth Road, Canadian Scottish Regiment (Princess Mary's), holding the position of administrative officer, and Lieut. Douglas C. Lawford, formerly of Victoria, and now signals officer with the 1st Field Regt., Royal Canadian Horse Artillery, Shilo, Manitoba.

Exercise "Sweetbriar" is a controlled training exercise conducted jointly by U.S. and Canadian ground and air forces in Yukon Territory. It marks a continuation of winter troop training program between the two countries held annually since the Second World War in the far-north area.

$70 In Court Fines

Fines totaling $70 were paid by motorist Clifford M. Woods, 211 Wilson Street, in city police court today.

Woods was charged with dangerous driving and also for driving while his driver's license was under suspension. He pleaded innocent to the first charge but was found guilty and fined $40. He pleaded guilty to the second and was fined $30.

Magistrate H. C. Hall ordered Woods not to drive a car for two months.

Food Handling Course Given To 160 Employees By Health Dept.

Hygienic and correct methods of food handling were described and demonstrated to a class of 160 employees of T. Eaton Co. Ltd., by David Smith, sanitary inspector of the Victoria and Esquimalt Health Department, Thursday evening at Eatons.

The lecture and films are a part of a series given by the health department to restaurant employees and food handlers throughout the city since January.

"The program will be a continuous one and we hope to cover every restaurant in the city and all employees working therein," Mr. Smith said.

Twenty-three restaurants have been covered to date and 270 food handlers have received certificates. In addition, 100 persons not employed by restaurants, but interested in methods of food handling have sat in classes for information.

Thursday night three films were shown and the main points covered in the lecture were: Personal hygiene, refrigeration hygiene, methods of handling and food poisoning.

One portion of the lecture dealt solely with the front end of a restaurant. Practical business tips were also given.

Two lectures will be given in Chinese to Chinese food handlers March 9 and March 16 at 7.30 in the evening at the Panama Cafe. Philip Chan will deliver the lectures.

Old Truck, His Home

There are many unusual and queer arrangements called homes. But one of the most unique was described in Saanich police court Thursday afternoon.

It was that of Wah Hing.

His home consisted of the body of an old abandoned truck he had set up at Aldridge Street and North Dairy Road.

It was nothing more than a box which did not have sanitary facilities nor the required 380 cubic feet minimum floor space required by law.

The result was Wah Hing faced the court for violation of the provincial sanitary regulations. He was found guilty by Magistrate H. C. Hall and was remanded to next Thursday for sentence.

Sgt. Jack Hamilton said he and the Chinese got into the box together but that neither of them could move. Truck box was 6 ft. high, 6 ft. wide and 9 ft. long, 56 cubic feet short of the legal requirements. In addition the box had no windows. It contained a mattress on a frame.

Gorge Pollution

Recreation Division of the Community Welfare Council is of the opinion that more consideration should be given to remedying the polluted condition of the Gorge waterway.

The council meeting recently heard members refer to the Gorge as an adequate resource for playground facilities within the reach of every citizen of Greater Victoria if the pollution trouble were corrected.

To Check Cyclists For License Plates

A warning for bicycle owners who have not got their 1950 licenses, came from Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer today. He said the police and inspector of licenses have launched a campaign to check all bycles for licenses in the city. Licenses for 1950 should have been taken out Nov. 1 last year.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

General meeting of the Greater Victoria Celebrations Association will be held in the Council Chamber, City Hall, at 8 p.m., Feb. 24. Organizations are requested to appoint their delegates and be in attendance. ***

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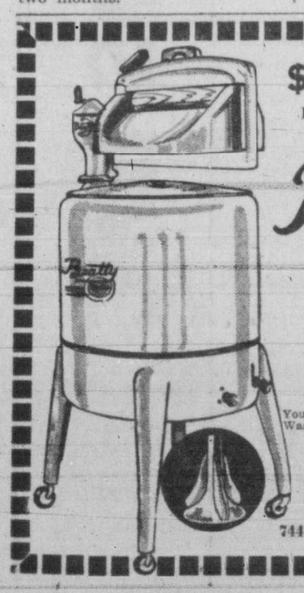
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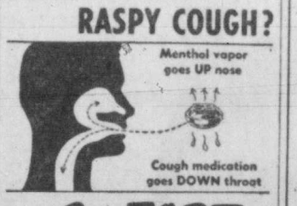

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24833—Dear Hearts and Gentle People; Make Believe—Bing Crosby.
24825—Rain or Shine; Enjoy Yourself—Guy Lombardo and His Royal Canadians.
24822—Open Doors—Open Arms; The Blossoms on the Bough—Andrews Sisters.
24820—Happy Times; Love Me or Leave Me — Danny Kaye.
24819—Where Are You, Blue Eyes?; Johnson Rag—Russ Morgan and His Orchestra.
24813—She Wore a Yellow Ribbon; Charley My Boy—Andrews Sisters.
24815—I Know What I've Got; School Days—Louis Jordon and His Tymphony Five.
24801——The Old Master Painter; Why Was I Born?—Dick Haymes.
24794—There's a Broken Heart for Every Light on Brpadway; Dear Hearts and Gentle People—Bob Hannon and J. Ryan.
24784—The Peony Bush; I've Got a Lovely Bunch of Coconuts—Danny Kaye.
24772—Bluebird on Your Windowsill; Twilight—Carmen Cavallaro and His Orchestra.
24752—That Lucky Old Sun; Blueberry Hill—Louis Armstrong and His Orchestra.
24741—Land of Love; Echoes—Ink Spots.
24724—Over Three Hills; Beautiful Wisconsin — Ethel Smith, Organ.
24717—Whispering Hope; Lovely Night—Andrews Sisters.
24707—"South Pacific" Medley, Parts 1 and 2—Eadie and Black, Two Piano Duet.

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2778—Johnson Rag; China Doll Parade—Russ Morgan and His Orchestra.
3061—Alleluja; Ave Maria—Deanna Durbin.
10005—I'll Be Around; Paper Doll—Mills Brothers
10145—Danny Boy; I'll Be Home for Christmas—Bing Crosby.
10352—Dancing in the Dak; Lover — Carmen Cavallaro.
10292—Oh, Marie; Come Back to Sorrento—Carmen Cavallaro.
10261—Ave Maria; Home Sweet Home — Bing Crosby.
10240—Chopin's Polonaise; Enllora — Carmen Cavallaro.
3840—Brahms' Lullaby; You and I—Bing Crosby
3354—The Waltz You Saved for Me; Where the Blue of the Night—Bing Crosby.
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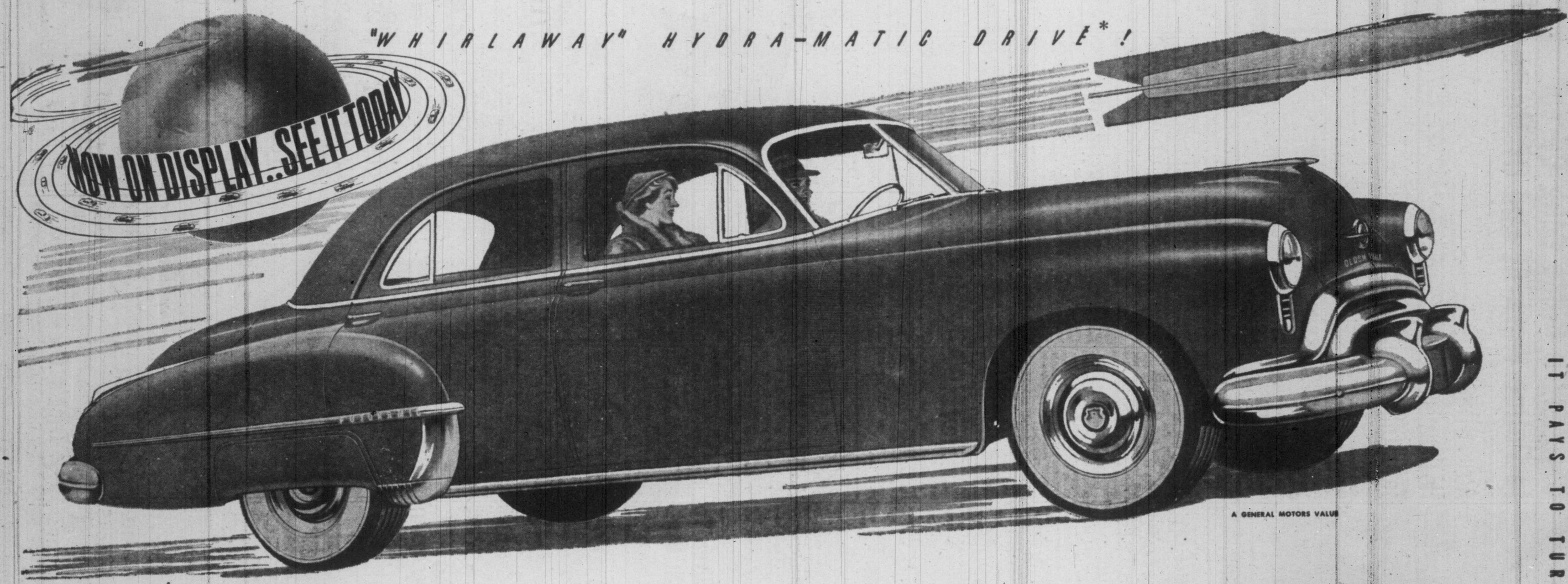

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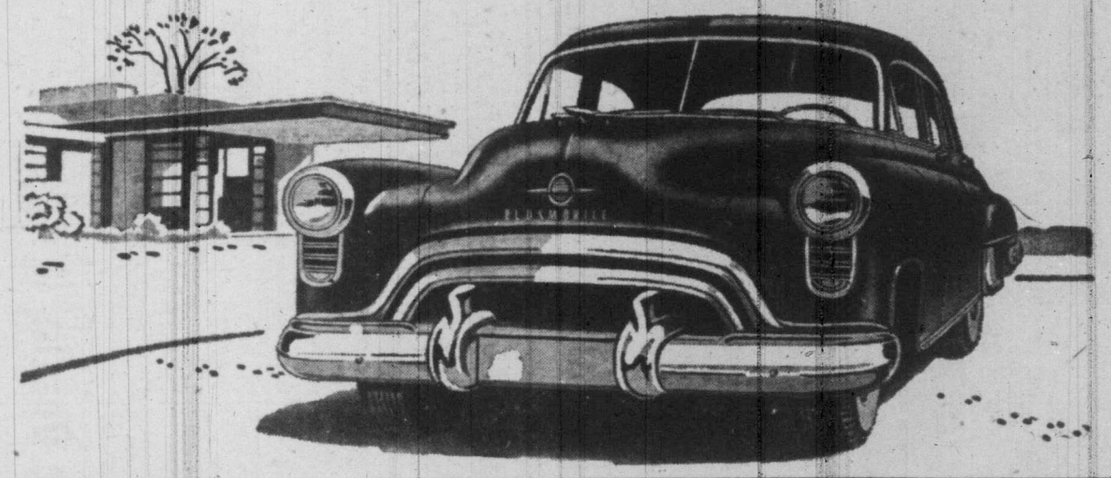

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Resources Delegates Pass 10 Resolutions, Defer Two

All but two of 12 resolutions submitted at the closing session of the Resources Conference at the Empress Hotel Thursday were passed by delegates.

Most contentious was one asking the provincial government to study the possibility of reducing taxes on land used for raising timber as a crop.

It passed by a narrow majority.

Other resolutions approved by delegates called for:

Urging of forest management licensing authorities to confer with the Dominion Department of Fisheries to seek improvement of streams and retain a portion of forest cover within the licensed area for the protection of fish and spawning grounds.

Greater consideration for forest and [illegible]cultural soils in surveys.

A speed-up in topographical mapping.

A conference committee to look into the possibility of launching a program of climatalogical study.

NEW FOREST INVENTORY

Speedy completion of a new B.C. forest inventory, and revision of it every five years. Last inventory was made up in 1937.

Forwarding of a five-point land settlement program to the B.C. government.

Formation of an agricultural advisory board which would, among other things, co-ordinate agricultural research.

Continuance of the program of subsidies and price support for agricultural products.

Protest against a 75 per cent increase in the price of R.C.A.F. topographical air-photo service.

Deferred for a year were resolutions asking the government to sell a portion of timber lands outright instead of limiting holding to forest management licensees and uring formation of a provincial resources board to direct resource development.

Must Preserve Resources For Population Growth

Problem of utilizing natural resources properly in order to supply an increasing population during at least the next three or four generations were outlined by Dr. Hugh L. Keenleyside, deputy minister of Mines and Resources, Ottawa, as he spoke at the closing dinner of the third B.C. Resources Conference at the Empress Hotel Thursday night.

With the world's population increasing at the rate of 65,000 per day, 20,000,000 a year, resources must be carefully used until the population stabilizes, he said, adding that Canada can and should support a greater population than she now has.

Particular skill is required in handling exhaustive, non-renewable resources such as minerals. Scientists must seek new ore deposits and there must be better processing methods, protection of metals from deterioration and greater use of scrap metal, he said.

More non-renewable metals have been used in the last 10 years than in the preceding 40 years.

He suggested greater development of non-mineral substitutes such as plastics and synthetics as a possible answer to the problem.

Asks More Details In 1951

Experts in all fields of natural resources in B.C. Thursday were told by Dr. Ian McTaggart Cowan at the conclusion of the third annual conference here that they should prepare for next year's resources conference by getting names, places, cases and details for use in organizing a proper plan for conservation.

Following the summarization, business of the conference was held, with Dr. Cowan being elected president, succeeding Dr. V. Warren of the department of geology and geography at U.B.C.

Other officers named were: Prof. D. G. Laird, U.B.C. soils expert, first vice-president; J. E. Liersch, Powell River Co., Vancouver, second vice-president; Dr. H. L. Purdy, B.C. Electric, Vancouver, treasurer; Dr. Dave Turner, provincial department of lands, secretary.

Executive members include: John Buchanan, Vancouver, president of B.C. Packers; Lyle A. Atkinson, assistant general manager, Fraser Valley Milk Producers' Association; R. C. Farrow, comptroller, water rights branch, provincial government; James Pike, Island Mountain Mining Co., and E. G. Oldham, director of provincial parks.

DR. IAN McT. COWAN

138 Cars Stolen But All Recovered

In the theft picture on last year's records of Victoria Police Department, 138 automobiles and 188 bicycles were stolen. All the cars were recovered, but 54 bicycles remained on the "stolen" files. In 1948 all of the 146 cars stolen were recovered and all but 11 of the 159 bicycles were located.

More Drunkenness

There were more persons jailed for drunkenness in Victoria last year than during the previous two years. The annual reports of the Victoria Police Department presented at the police commission meeting this afternoon showed 59 more convictions in court for intoxication in a public place than in 1948. There was an increase of 12 convictions for other infractions of the Government Liquor Act.

Bargaining Rights

The B.C. Labor Relations Board today announced bargaining authority certificates have been issued to the Hotel and Restaurant Employees and Bartenders International Union for workers at two up-island beer parlors.

They are the Ross Hotel, Ladysmith, and the Patricia Hotel, Nanaimo.

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$38,900 Court Fines Set Record In 1949

Fines levied in city police court in 1949 zoomed to an all-time high of $38,907. This was $3,700 ahead of the 1948 aggregate.

The annual report submitted to the police commission this afternoon by Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer, shows the court dealt with 9,138 cases, or 874 more than the year before. Of these 7,073 were infractions of city by-laws. Parking meter violations totaled 4,375—these are $1 fines—compared with 5,412 in 1948.

Convictions on drinking charges caused an increase of $2,485 and Motor Vehicle Act infractions. There were decreases of $1,355 and $3,610 for city by-law and dangerous driving offences.

Recommends Traffic Lights For 4 More City Intersections

Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer, in command of the Victoria Police Department in the absence of Acting Chief of Police John Blackstock, today recommended to the police commission that automatic traffic control lights be placed at four intersections.

These crossings are Fisgard and Douglas Streets, Quadra and Fort Streets, Pandora Avenue and Blanshard Street, and Government and Bellville Streets.

He also asked that "blinker" lights (amber and red) be placed at Fernwood Road and Pandora Avenue and Humboldt and Douglas Streets.

The deputy chief also asked for lane and centre lines to ensure better and safer driving, to be painted as follows:

Lane lines—on Douglas from Humboldt through to Tolmie Avenue; from Cormorant on Government to where the lines meet the Douglas ones at the Fountain intersection.

Single centre lines—Fairfield Road from Cook to Foul Bay; Cook from Hillside to Douglas; Hillside from Fountain to city limits; Superior from Government to St. Lawrence; Gorge from Fountain to city limits; Quadra from Pandora to city limits; Pandora from Douglas to city limits, including Oak Bay Avenue; Fort from Douglas to Foul Bay; Yates from Douglas to Fort; Craigflower from Arm to Skinner; Catherine from Craigflower to Johnson, and Johnson from Government to Dominion.

Safety Patrols At 13 Schools In Area

Eleven public and three private schools have the Kiwanis Club-sponsored Junior Traffic Safety Patrols in constant operation. This was contained in the annual report submitted to the police commission Thursday by Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer who noted "the patrols continue to do splendid work controlling traffic at school crossings."

Patrols number 466 students who control 5,849 students. The deputy chief also emphasized that during 1949 there were no accidents of any description to students at the patrolled crossings in the city. One driver who ignored the signals of the young patrol personnel when a crossing was occupied by children was fined $10 in court.

Police Harmony

Harmony in the Victoria Police Department. That was the report from Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer to the police commission at its meeting this afternoon.

"I am pleased to report that all branches of the department are working harmoniously together and in the best interests of the public," he said. The deputy chief also wished to express his thanks to the plain-clothes branch for their co-operation during his term administering that department.

Drunken Driving On Increase Here

There was a sharp increase in drunken driving in 1949, Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer's report to the police commission today showed. Forty persons were convicted for this offence. There were 16 convictions in 1948.

Motor vehicle offences under the Provincial Motor Vehicle Act, Highway Act and Criminal Code rose sharply, 977 convictions compared to 745 in 1948.

STOCK QUOTATIONS

Toronto

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

	Bid	Asked
Akaitcho	.76	.79
Anglo-Canadian	4.05	4.10
Amalg. Larder	.17	.18
Aubelle	.06	.07
Aumaque	.12	.13
Aunor	3.15	3.25
Beatty	.55	.57
Bevcourt	.25	.27
Bidgood Kirkland	.04½	.05
Bobjo	.13	.13½
Bralorne	9.60	9.60
Broulan	.57	.60
Buffalo Addison	.12	.13
Buffalo Ankerite	2.00	2.10
Base Metals	.25	.26
Campbell Red Lake	2.70	2.75
Castle Treth	2.50	2.55
Canadian Malartic	.65	.69
C. and E. Corp.	7.15	7.25
Central Patricia	.87	.94
Chesterville	1.24	1.27
Cochenour Willans	[illegible]	2.07
Coin Lake	.15	.16
Colomac	.04	.04½
Conwest	1.10	1.12
Cons Smelters	98.00	98.50
Croinor	.53	.60
Crowshore Pat.	.07	.10
Dome Mines	18.00	18.25
Donalda	.52	.55
Duquesne	.70	.80
East Malartic	2.21	2.25
East Sullivan	4.65	4.70
Elder	.37	.40
Eldona	.29	.30
Eureka	.40	.50
Falconbridge	4.20	4.25
Frobisher	2.34	2.35
Giant Yellowknife	6.10	6.15
Gods Lake	.31	.32
Golden Man.	2.57	2.60
Gulf Lead	.10½	.11
Harricana	.05¾	.06
Hardrock	.31	.32
Hasaga	.36	.37
Heva Cad.	.07	.08
Hollinger	10.25	10.50
Hosco	.08½	.09
Howey Gold	.55	
Hudson Bay Mining	45.50	46.25
Indian Lake	.03¼	.04½
Inspiration	.41	.43
Inter. Uranium	.49	.52
Jason Gold	.41	.43
Joliet Quebec	.68	.70
Kerr Addison	18.00	18.25
Kirkland Lake	1.30	1.32
Labrador	4.40	4.50
Lake Dufault	1.10	1.15
Lakeshore	12.50	12.75
Lamaque	6.05	6.50
Little Long Lac	.49	.50
Lingman Lake	.35	.36
Louvicourt	.16	.17
Madsen Red Lake	2.95	3.00
Macassa	2.50	2.55
Marcus	.14	.15
Malartic Goldfields	3.15	3.25
McDonald	.50	.53
McIntyre	63.50	64.50
McKenzie Red Lake	.51	.55
McLeod Cockshutt	2.60	2.65
Moneta	.34	.35
Negus	1.45	1.47
Nipissing	1.08	1.12
Normetal	2.60	2.65
Northern Cap.	.39½	.42
Noranda	68.25	68.75
Okalta	1.95	2.00
O'Brien Gold	1.85	1.90
Orlac	.06	.06½
New Calumet	1.05	1.10
Osiska Lake	1.15	1.18
Pamour Porc.	1.45	1.47
Paymaster	.30½	.31
Perron Gold	.51	.55
Pickle Crow	1.85	1.90
Powell Rouyn	.90	1.00
Preston	1.80	1.85
Quemont	22.00	22.50
San Antonio	3.50	3.60
Senator	.25	.26
Sheep Creek	1.12	1.21
Sherritt Gordon	2.18	2.20
Sigma	8.05	8.75
Siscoe Gold	.33	.35
Sladen Malartic	.76	.78
Steeprock	2.30	2.33
Sullivan	2.39	2.40
Sylvanite	1.47	1.50
Teck Hughes	2.93	3.00
Toburn	.38	.42
Trans. Cont. Resources	.47	.49
Upper Canada	3.15	3.25
Ventures	6.50	6.75
Waite Amulet	8.00	8.10
Wright Hargreaves	2.10	2.12
Lake Wasa	.53	.54
Yellowknife Bear	.79	.80
Chemical Research	1.12	1.15

Stolen Goods Last Year Worth $39,595

Thieves were active in Victoria last year. Value of articles they took from stores, cars and homes totaled $30,595, a few hundred dollars more than the value of stolen property in 1948.

Police recovered goods of one-third of the value of that stolen. Value of lost property was $17,921, or $5,665 less than during the previous 12 months. Lost property recovered was valued at $4,291. The year before $13,007 was recovered.

It was pointed out to the police commission today that some of the stolen and lost property recorded on last year's record has been recovered in this year's investigations.

Juvenile Crime

In the juvenile picture last year 77 youths appeared before Magistrate H. C. Hall in Juvenile Court for varied offences. There were 78 in 1948 and 82 in 1947. Deputy Chief of Police Harry Mercer reported that 29 of this number were residents of outside municipalities.

During the year 40 of the charged boys and girls were housed at the Juvenile Home at 1527 Oldharbor Road pending disposition of their cases. Eight boys and one girl were committed to the Industrial Schools. Fourteen of the juvenile cases were "repeaters."

Six Killed, 223 Hurt In 1949 City Accidents

Traffic accidents in Victoria in 1949 numbered 150 more than the previous year. Total at the end of December involving injury to persons or over $25 damage to property reached 1,103.

Six persons lost their lives. There were five traffic deaths in 1948. Number of injured people were 229, compared with 270 for the previous year.

In the matter of the Estate of George Herbert Lyne, deceased.

All persons having claims against the Estate of the late George Herbert Lyne, late of Oak Bay, B.C., who died at Victoria, B.C., on the 16th June, 1949, are notified to send them to the undersigned, duly verified, before the 25th day of February, 1950—after the last-mentioned date, the assets of the Estate will be distributed among the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to claims of which the Executors shall then have notice.

Dated at Victoria, B.C., this 24th day of January, 1950.

G. H. SEDGER, 620 View St., Victoria, B.C., Solicitor for Executors.

Closing Averages

Dow Jones index:

30 industrials	203.17, up 1.48
20 railroads	55.70, up 1.19
15 utilities	42.67, up 0.09
65 stocks	73.77, up 0.71

Volume, 1,940,000 shares.

Toronto averages:

Industrials	209.65, up 1.29
Golds	98.56, up 0.50
Base Metals	107.14, up 0.54
Western Oils	61.31, up 0.50

Sales, 815,000.

Montreal averages:

Industrials	140.50, up 0.60
Utilities	76.70, up 0.50
Golds	64.02, off 0.08
Pulp, Papers	375.98 up 5.01

Sales, 190,200.

New York

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	Close
Allied Chemicals	207½
American Can	112½
American Tobacco	71¾
American Smelter	55⅛
American Tel. and Tel.	149½
American Woolen	24
Anaconda Copper	29¼
Atchison Topeka	105
B. and O. Railway	11⅝
Bethlehem Steel	33½
Canadian Pacific Railway	15½
C. and O. Railway	29⅜
Chrysler	64⅛
Con. Edison	29½
Du Pont	63⅝
Eastman Kodak	47¾
Erie Railroad	11¾
General Foods	48⅝
General Electric	45⅞
General Motors	75¾
Goodyear Tire	48¼
Great Northern	42½
Inter. Harvester	28
Inter. Nickel	27¾
Johns-Manville	46⅝
Kennecott Copper	53½
New York Central	12⅝
Norfolk and Western	51
Northern Pacific	21¼
Pennsylvania Railroad	17⅝
Radio	15⅝
Republic Steel	26¼
Schenley Distillers	32¼
Standard Oil California	63¼
Standard Oil New Jersey	66⅞
Sears Roebuck	42¼
Socony Vacuum	16
Southern Railway	35
Texas Corp.	60⅞
Union Carbide	42⅞
Union Pacific	86⅝
United Aircraft	26⅞
U.S. Steel	30¼
Westinghouse Electric	32⅞
Woolworth	49⅞
Zenith Radio	47⅝

Vancouver

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	Bid	Asked
OILS—		
Anaconda	7½	8
Anglo-Canadian	400	410
A.P. Con.	21½	
Atlantic	147	150
British Dominion		23½
C. and E. Corp.	710	
Calmont	49	52
Central Leduc	115	118
Commoil	55	
Commonwealth	125	
Continental Oil	32	33
Dalhousie	37	38
Federated Pete.	255	
Foothills	375	
General Pete.	101	110
Do. A	105	
Globe Oil		60
Hargal	13¾	15
Home Oil	11⅛	1125
Leduc West		82
McDougall Segur	10	11
Mercury		10½
Model Oil	32	35
National Pete.	33	
Okalta	205	210
Pacific Pete.	450	455
Princess	36	37
Royal Canadian	6½	7
Royalite	925	925
South Brazeau	11	12½
Spooner	20	25
Sunset	18	19
Superior	41½	42
Vanalta	23	30
Vulcan		30
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	3½	
Bralorne	950	975
Bridge River Con.	2½	3
B.R.X. (1935)	6	
Canuse Cariboo	7	9
Cariboo Gold	125	140
Congress	22	24
Cuyuni Gold	32	34
George Copper	5	7
Golconda		29
Grandview	18	
Gruil Wihksne	2½	2¾
Hedley Mascot	24½	25
Highland Bells	58	59
Inter. C. and C.	22	
Island Mountain	115	118
Pacific Nickel	17¾	
P.E. Gold		6
Pend Oreille	540	
Pioneer Gold	340	345
Privateer	14	15
Quatsino Copper	4¾	6
Red Hawke	1¾	
Reeves McDonald	211	
Reno Gold	2⅝	
Sheep Creek	113	115
Silbak Premier	38	38½
Silver Ridge		10½
Silver Standard	50	51
Surf Inlet Gold	4	
Taku River	12	
Taylor Bridge	39	
Utica	8	
Vananda	11	15
Wellington	2	2½
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Products	275	
B.C. Turf	65	70
Burrard Drydock A	725	
Canadian Western Lumber	365	378
Capital Estates	1575	1600
Coast Breweries	345	350
H. R. MacMillan A	900	
Do. B	775	
Pacific Coyle	42	50
Powell River	4475	4525
Sun Publishing	1775	1825
Westminster Paper A	875	
Do. B	375	400

Aorangi To Dock Here Early Saturday

The Canadian - Australasian Line's Aorangi will dock at the V.M.D. outer wharf at 7 Saturday morning, inbound from the south Pacific, New Zealand and Australia.

Meanwhile, a company spokesman said in Vancouver Thursday the line is seeking subsidies from the Canadian, Australian and New Zealand governments to maintain a fast British Commonwealth passenger and cargo trans-Pacific service with the Aorangi.

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Leaves Brentwood hourly on the hour, 8 a.m. to 7 p.m.; Sunday, 8 a.m. to 9 p.m. Leaves Mill Bay hourly on the half hour, 8.30 a.m. to 7.30 p.m.; Sundays, 8.30 a.m. to 9.30 p.m.

Montreal

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	Bid	Asked
Can. Invest. Funds	—	535
Can. Bank of Comm.	25¾	26½
Dominion Bank	—	27½
Imperial Bank	—	31
Bank of Montreal	27⅞	28
Bank of Nova Scotia	41	—
Royal Bank	27½	27⅝
Bank of Toronto	36⅛	39⅛
Atlas Steel	8¼	8½
Abitibi com.	23⅛	24
Do. pfd.	22⅞	23
Algoma Steel	—	14½
Aluminum com.	53¼	53⅝
Do. pfd.	26½	—
Asbestos Corp.	25½	—
Bathurst A	25½	26
Bell Telephone	39⅝	40
Brazilian Tract.	21⅛	21½
B.A. Oil	26	26¼
B.C. Forest Prod.	2⅝	2⅞
B.C. Power A	[illegible]	[illegible]
Brown com.	4	4⅛
Do. pfd.	100	101½
Bruck Mills A	19	—
Do. B	6¾	7½
Building Prod.	32½	33½
Bulolo Gold	890	900
Can. Malting	50½	51¼
Can. Nor. Power	11½	12
Can. Steamships com.	16⅝	16¾
Do. pfd.	37⅝	38
Can. Cement	35½	35¾
Can. Breweries	23	23¼
Can. Bronze com.	22½	23
Can. Car & Fdry. com.	11½	11¾
Can. Celanese	30½	30⅝
Can. Dredge & Dock	25¼	27
Can. Indus. Alcohol	8½	9
Can. Locomotive	23½	23⅞
C.P.R.	17⅝	17⅞
Can. Vickers	92½	94
Cockshutt Plow	15¾	16
Comm. Alcohol	2¼	2½
Cons. Paper	19	19⅛
Consumers Glass	24	27
Distillers Seag.	21	21⅛
Dom. Bridge	43¼	43½
Dom. Engineering	54	54½
Dom. Found. & Steel	28½	30
Dom. Woollens	10¼	10½
Dom. Steel & Coal B	20½	20⅝
Dom. Stores	24	24⅛
Dom. Tar & Chem.	—	28½
Dom. Textiles	11⅝	11¾
Donnacona Paper	17¾	18¼
Dryden Paper	—	18
Eddy Paper	15⅝	16½
Electrolux	14⅛	14½
Famous Players	14½	15
Fanny Farmer	35½	36
Fleet Aircraft	120	125
Ford of Can. A	27⅛	27½
Foundation Co.	30¼	30⅝
Fraser Co.	25¼	25½
Gatineau Power	18⅛	18½
Gen. Steel Wares	18	18¼
Gypsum Lime	18	18¾
Hamilton Bridge	12	12½
Howard Smith	36½	37
Imperial Oil	21⅝	21¾
Imperial Tobacco	14¼	14½
Indus. Accept.	31¼	31¾
Inter. Bronze Powder	4¼	—
Inter. Nickel	31⅝	31⅞
Inter. Paper	40	40½
Inter. Pete	8⅞	9
Jamaica P.S.	—	11½
Lake of Woods	25½	26
Lowney, Walter M.	15	16
Maple Leaf com.	9⅜	9½
Massey Harris com.	24	24⅛
Do. pfd.	27	27⅜
McColl Front. com.	13¾	13⅞
MacMillan A	9⅝	10
Do. B	8	8¼
Minn. & Ont. Paper	18¼	18½
Mitchell, Robt.	22½	—
Molson's Brew. A	26½	27
Montreal Loco.	20¼	20½
Moore Corp.	75	76
National Brew.	35¼	—
National Drug	11¼	11½
National Steel Car	19¾	20
Ogilvie Flour	19⅝	20
Page Hersey	45	45¼
Powell River	44¾	45
Power Corp.	—	16½
Price Bros.	67	a.
Quebec Power	17	17¼
St. Law. Corp. 1st pfd.	31⅝	32
St. Law. Paper 1st pfd.	89¾	90
Sick's Brew.	21¼	21⅝
Southam Co.	21	21½
South. Can. Power	19½	20
Standard Chem.	9⅝	9¾
Steel of Can.	102½	103
Taylor P. & C. com.	6½	7
Do. pfd.	9¼	11
United Steel	6¾	7¼
Walker Gooderham com.	38⅝	39
Westeel Prod.	51	51¾
Winnipeg Elec. com.	33	33¾

Grain

Winnipeg

(By H. A. Humber Ltd.)

	Open	High	Low	Close
Rye—				
May	144⅝	145⅝	144⅝	145⅝
July	145¾	146	145	146
October	142	143½	142	143¼
Oats—				
May	80⅛	80⅜	80	80⅛
July	76⅞	76⅞	76¾	76¾
October	—	—	—	73½
Barley—				
May	123⅝	124⅜	123⅝	124¾
July	115½	116½	115¼	116⅜
October	109	109	108⅝	109
Flax—				
May	—	—	—	373½
July	—	—	—	357

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May	208½	209⅝	208½	209⅝
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September	190⅞	191⅞	190⅞	191⅞
Corn—				
March	128½	128⅜	128⅜	128⅜
May	127½	127⅝	127¼	127⅝
July	126	126¼	125¾	126¼
September	121½	121⅝	121⅜	121½
Oats—				
March				74¼
May	69⅝	70	69⅛	70
July	62	61½	61	61½
September	61	61½	61	61½
Rye—				
May	131½	132½	131⅛	132¼
May	133⅝	134¼	133¼	134
September	135¾	135⅝	135	135⅝
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Gas Retention Policy Not Guaranteed, Board Informed

CALGARY (CP)—The Alberta Petroleum and Natural Gas Conservation Board was told today that the provincial government's announced policy of retaining 50 years' supply of gas for Alberta users before export was not guaranteed in information placed before the board by the Westcoast Transmission Co.

The board is hearing an application from the company for a permit to export natural gas from Alberta to the Pacific coast.

L. H. Fenerty, counsel for the city of Calgary, criticized evidence placed before the board by witnesses on behalf of the Westcoast Transmission Co.

TAKE IT AND LIKE IT

Mr. Fenerty said the attitude of C. R. Hetherington, New York engineer testifying for the company, was that the "public was going to take it and like it."

"I also say that he (Hetherington) is openly contemptuous of the government," said Mr. Fenerty. "I suggest the applicant's function is to meet the government's requirements, not to educate the government."

The Calgary lawyer said the applicant company must show in evidence that the volume of gas available would satisfy the needs of the Western Canadian Natural Gas Co.—which supplies southern Alberta consumers—for "not only 30 years but for 50 years and the peak demands for 30 years."

He suggested the board require a revision of the applicant's case to meet these requirements.

D. P. MacDonald, counsel for the company, said this information was being prepared.

The gas hearing, now at the end of the third week, was scheduled to be adjourned today until April 10.

Financial Review

TORONTO (CP)—Prices slowly firmed from early weakness on the Toronto Stock Exchange.

Western oils were among the best gainers, advancing strongly at the opening but weakening from their best gains in mid-session.

Industrials were weak for most of the time, but a late recovery movement in key issues wiped out many losses.

MONTREAL (CP)—Advances dominated the list in fairly active trading, near the final hour on the Montreal Stock Exchange and Curb Market.

Papers, the industrial section, base metals, senior oils and utilities were strong in the selected group, followed by beverages and steels, but banks were weaker. Mines and western oils were irregular and showed a mixed tone.

NEW YORK (AP)—Railroad issues pounded ahead of a rising stock market here.

Gains of fractions to a top of around two points were scored by many of the market's leaders. Even radio-television issues, which earlier took a beating, joined the tail-end of the parade.

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VITAL STATISTICS

BIRTHS

BICHARD—To Sgt.-Maj. and Mrs. S. J. Bichard, 1982 Haultain Street, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, on Feb. 16, 1950, a son; weight, 6 lbs. 13 ozs. A brother for Wendy Mae.

CAMPBELL—To Mr. and Mrs. D. Campbell (nee Evelyn Philion), 135 East 51st Avenue, Vancouver, on Feb. 11, 1950, at Grace Hospital, a son, 8 lbs. 12 ozs. Both doing well.

JOHNSON—Born to Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Johnson, of 1014 Lyall Street, a son, on Feb. 15, 1950, at St. Joseph's Hospital.

SUTHERLAND — Born to Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Sutherland, 1312 Stanley Avenue, a daughter, at St. Joseph's Hospital, on Feb. 16, 1950. A sister for Raymond.

DEATHS

EMILY LOUISE BASSETT

On Wednesday, Feb. 15, at St. Joseph's Hospital, Emily Louise Bassett, of 3263 Rutledge Street, widow of the late John E. Bassett, in her 89th year. Born in Buckinghamshire, Eng., resident of Victoria for the past 45 years, she was a devoted member of St. Mark's Church. She is survived by three sisters, a niece and two nephews in England; a nephew in Bermuda and a niece in Calgary, Alta.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18, at 10.30 a.m., from Chaplin's Funeral Chapel, with Canon Robert Willis and Rev. O. L. Juli officiating, followed by cremation. No flowers by request.

BERNICE CHAVE

Passed away at her late residence, 2344 West 41st Avenue, Vancouver, Feb. 15, 1950, Bernice Chave, in her 64th year. Survived by her husband; one daughter, Mrs. W. H. Towndsend, Chilliwack, B.C.; one son, Cyril, Vancouver; three grandchildren; three sisters, Miss Nellie, Miss Winnie and Mrs. Dora Davidson, Victoria, B.C.
Funeral services Saturday, Feb. 18, 1950, at 1 p.m. from the Chapel of Chimes, Hatron Bros. Ltd., 10th Avenue at Ontario Street, Vancouver. Rev. G. Turpin officiating. Interment in Ocean View Burial Park.

KATHLEEN SELENE DALBY

On Thursday, Feb. 16, 1950, Kathleen Selene Dalby, of 921 Jasmine Avenue, passed away in her 67th year. Born at Departure Bay, B.C., Mrs. Dalby had been a resident of this city for the past three years, and prior to coming to this city, a resident of Cumberland, B.C., for many years. She was predeceased by her husband in 1939. To mourn her passing, Mrs. Dalby leaves two daughters, Mrs. W. H. Cope of Clinton, B.C., and Mrs. W. H. Lennox of Cumberland, B.C.; two sons, Valentine at Courtenay and Wilton of Victoria; three sisters, Mrs. C. Howard, Bremerton, Wash.; Mrs. A. Maxwell, Cumberland, and Mrs. J. Campbell, Union Bay, B.C.; one brother, J. Walker of South Paris, Wash.; six grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18, 1950, at 3 p.m. in Chaplin's Funeral Chapel, with Rev. O. L. Juli officiating, followed by interment in the family plot at Ross Bay Cemetery. (No flowers, by request.)

ARNOLD FLATEN

On Feb. 16, 1950, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Arnold Flaten, of 820½ Pemberton Road, beloved husband of Greta Flaten, manager of the Royal Bank of Canada, Douglas Street Branch; born in Norway. Besides his wife, he leaves two daughters, Barbara Ann and Judith. He was a member of Ladner A.F. & A.M. and the Gyro Club.
Funeral from Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel on Monday at 3 p.m. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ARTHUR GEORGE HOBSON

In Victoria, on Feb. 14, 1950, Arthur George Hobson, of 2087 Crescent Road, husband of Marion Hobson, in his 82nd year; born in Crewe, Eng., and a resident here for the past 10 years. He is survived by his wife, Marion; one brother Francis W. Hobson of Vancouver.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 18, 1950, at 2 in McCall Bros.' Funeral Chapel. Interment in Colwood Burial Park. (No flowers, by request.)

DR. ALBERT GORDON LOUGH

Passed away Feb. 14, 1950, Dr. Albert Gordon Lough, 5929 Carter Street. Survived by his loving wife, one son, Gordon; daughter, Marilyn; two grandchildren, Vancouver; three brothers, Robert, Fred and Eber of Winnipeg; three sisters, Misses Jane and Ruby Lough, Winnipeg; Mrs. Roy Mustard of Vancouver.
Funeral services Friday, Feb. 17, at 1.30 p.m. in Nunn and Thomson's Chapel, 10th Avenue and Cambie Street, Rev. C. M. Stewart officiating. Interment in Forest Lawn Memorial Park.

JOHN SHUMKA

At the residence, 639 Belton Avenue, on Feb. 16, 1950, John Shumka, aged 40, beloved husband of Anne Shumka; born in Ethelbert, Man., and a resident of Victoria for 3½ years. He served with the Army Service Corps in the Second Great War. Besides his wife, he leaves two sons, John and Lorne; also five brothers, Nicholas in North Battleford, Sask.; Steve in Vancouver; Pete and William in Lumby, B.C., and Joseph in Toronto, Ont.
The remains are resting in Hayward's B.C. Funeral Chapel, pending funeral arrangements.

DEATHS

HENRY ALEXANDER McDONALD

Passed away at the Veterans' Hospital, on Feb. 17, 1950, Mr. Henry Alexander McDonald, aged 72 years; born in Scotland, and a resident of Victoria for the past six years, residing at 940 Fairfield Road. Survived by his wife, Eveleen, at the family residence; one son, Alex of North Vancouver, and two daughters, Mrs. A. M. McPhatter and Mrs. D. March of Vancouver; also 12 grandchildren. The late Mr. McDonald was a member of Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans.
Funeral services will be held in the Memorial Chapel of Chimes of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Monday, Feb. 20, at 3 p.m. Padre Douglas Kendell will officiate. Interment in the Veterans' Cemetery at Esquimalt. (Vancouver papers please copy.)

LAURA PEARSON

Passed away at [illegible] on Feb. 17, 1950, Mrs. Laura Pearson, widow of the late Charles Pearson, aged 72 years; born in St. Paul, Minn., and a resident of Victoria for the past 45 years. The late Mrs. Pearson had been in partnership with Mr. Lyle L. Pelland in the Victoria Retail Lumber Co. for the past 10 years. Survived by her son, Herbert, of 2867 Colquitz Avenue, and daughter, Mrs. William Keck of R.R. 1, Cobble Hill.
Funeral services will be held in the Memorial Chapel of Chimes of the Sands Mortuary Ltd. on Monday, Feb. 20, at 1.30 p.m. Cremation will take place in the Royal Oak Crematorium.

JOHN HERBERT SYKES

Suddenly in Victoria, on Feb. 16, 1950, John Herbert Sykes, of 2683 Ines Drive, in his 45th year, husband of Catherine Sykes; born in Shoal Lake, Man., and a resident here since 1920. He leaves to mourn, besides his wife, Catherine; one son, Gordon at home; three sisters, Mrs. P. Patrick of Dauphin, Man.; Mrs. T. A. Macdonald of Wawa, Ont., and Mrs. X. M. Matcham of Victoria; one brother, Mr. D. O. Sykes of Hamilton, Ont.; also several nieces and nephews. The late Mr. Sykes was well known in Victoria, being associated with the Vancouver Island Coach Lines.
Funeral services will be held on Saturday, Feb. 18, 1950, at 3.15 p.m. in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel. Rev. Canon S. J. Wickens officiating. Interment in Royal Oak Burial Park.

ERNEST STADLER

Suddenly on Feb. 16, 1950, in Victoria, Ernest Stadler, aged 52 years; born in Switzerland, and a resident of this city for the past six years. Surviving are his wife, Josephine, at home; one daughter Mrs. J. (Erna) Boughey; two sons, Joseph and Robert, all of Victoria. The late Mr. Stadler was a member of Capital City Lodge, No. 61, K. of P., and Tel El Mahuta Temple, No. 155, D.O.K.K., Victoria, and was a member of the Nomads in Houston, Tex.
Rev. F. Conkey of St. Paul's Presbyterian Church, Victoria West, will conduct funeral services in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel on Monday afternoon at 3. Officers of Capital City Lodge, No. 61, K. of P. and Tel El Mahuta Temple, No. 155, D.O.K.K., Victoria, will assist in graveside services at Royal Oak Burial Park.

WILFRED AUSTIN TURNER

Suddenly on Feb. 15, 1950, at the Royal Jubilee Hospital, Wilfred Austin Turner, of 1619 Pinewood Street, Victoria, B.C., in his 65th year. Predeceased by his wife, he is survived by one son, Stewart Turner of Seattle; one daughter, Mrs. Dorothy Jagger of Victoria; two brothers, George in England and Leslie in New Zealand; two sisters, Sybil and Mildred in England. After serving with the 7th Battalion, C.E.F., he made his home in Victoria. He was a member of the Canadian Legion and the Masonic Order.
Funeral services will be held from the Thomson Funeral Home on Saturday afternoon, Feb. 18, 1950, at 3, with Rev. K. L. Sandercock officiating. Interment in the family plot at Royal Oak Burial Park.

GEORGINA GRACE WILSON

On Feb. 17, 1950, in Victoria, Georgina Grace Wilson, of Dean Park Road, Saanichton, wife of Henry Wilson, in her 71st year; born in Surrey, Eng., and a resident of Victoria and district for the past 15 years. She leaves to mourn her passing, her husband, Henry; one daughter, Mrs. E. Blair (Gladys) Smith of Vancouver; one son, Robert, of Kelowna, B.C.; two sisters in England; three grandchildren; also several nieces and nephews in England.
Funeral services will be held on Wednesday afternoon, Feb. 20, at 2 in McCall Bros.' Floral Funeral Chapel. Cremation. (No flowers, by request.)

CARD OF THANKS

The family of the late Mrs. L. Luscombe desire to express their heartfelt gratitude to their many relatives and friends for kind expressions of sympathy, letters, and beautiful floral tributes received in their sad bereavement. They especially wish to thank Dr. W. H. Moore and Rev. Dr. A. E. Whitehouse for kind words.

Mr. L. B. Noel and family and Mrs. Wilfred Gouge wish to express their deep appreciation for the messages of sympathy and beautiful floral offerings received from friends during their recent sad bereavement in the loss of a loving wife, mother and sister. Special thanks to Rev. J. L. W. McLean for his comforting service, and to the pallbearers for their services.

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THE original Vancouver Island Dog Fanciers' Association wish it plainly understood that the Valentine dance advertised for Feb. 17, in the Newstead Hall, is not being held under their auspices. (Signed) C. Bloomfield, honorary secretary-treasurer. 3-40

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5.30—The Westons—CBR. Bing Sings—CJVI. Superman—CKWX. Town Crier—CKDA. Chet Huntley—KIRO. Folk Tunes—KOMO. Jack Armstrong—KJR. Tom Mix—KVI. 5.45: Bill Good Sports—CBR. 5.45: Frankie Laine—CBR. 5.45: News—CJVI, KIRO, KOMO.

6.00—Ray Norris Quintette—CBR. Bob White Show—CKWX. Ford Theatre—CJVI, CJOR. Joan Davis—KIRO. Screen Directors' Playhouse—KOMO. News—KJR, CKDA. Gabriel Heatter—KVI. 6.20: Bob Garred—KJR.

6.30—Honored Music—CBR. All-time Hit Parade—CKDA. Bob White Show—CKWX. Ford Theatre—CJVI, CJOR. High School Sports—KIRO. Jimmy Durante Show—KOMO. Hit and Encores—KJR. Tello-Test—KVI. 6.45: Guest Star—KIRO.

7.00—CBC News—CBR. News—CKDA. News; Dick Haymes—CKWX. Fights—CJVI, CJOR. Show Goes On—KIRO. Life of Riley—KOMO. Cavalcade of Sports—KJR. Meet the Press—KVI. 7.15: News Roundup—CBR.

7.30—Toronto Symphony Pops—CBR. Gems From Shows—CKDA. Fights—CJVI, CJOR. Red Ryder—CKWX. Lum 'n' Abner—KIRO. Sports Newsreel—KOMO. Cavalcade of Sports—KJR. Cisco Kid—KVI.

8.00—Toronto Symphony Pops—CBR. News—CKWX, CJVI, CJOR, CKDA. Lowell Thomas—KIRO. Dorothy Kirsten Light-up Time—KOMO. Dashiell Hammet's Fat Man—KJR. Proudly We Hail—KVI. 8.15: Eddie Arnold—CJVI. 8.15: F.I.R. Report—CJOR. 8.15: Margaret Whiting, Jack Smith—KIRO. 8.15: News of the World—KOMO.

8.30—Vancouver Theatre—CBR. Academy Award—CKDA. 'Mang the Heather—CJVI. Boston Blackie—CKWX. Haunting Hour—CJOR. Ronald and Benita Coleman "Halls of Ivy"—KOMO. This is Your F.B.I.—KJR. Meet Your Match—KVI.

9.00—Burns Chuckwagon—CBR. News—CKDA. News; Damon Runyon—CJVI. Home Hockey—CKWX. Philo Vance—CJOR. Favorite Husband—KIRO. Interlude; Johnny Bradford—KOMO. Ozzie and Harriet—KJR. Glen Hardy—KVI. 9.15: Modern Concert Hall—CKDA.

9.30—Talk; Can Short Stories—CBR. Modern Concert Hall—CKDA. Carmen Cavallero—CJVI. Home Hockey—CKWX. Today's Hits—CJOR. Beulah—KIRO. Pass the Buck—KOMO. Local—KJR. Comedy of Errors—KVI. 9.45: Canadian Short Stories—CBR. 9.45: Bing Sings—CJOR. 9.45: Club 15—KIRO.

10.00—CBC News—CBR. Music by Cloutier—CJVI. News—CJOR, KIRO, KOMO, KJR, CKDA. I Love a Mystery—KVI. 10.15: "Focus"—CBR. 10.15: Concert Hour—KJR.

10.30—News—CJVI. Spinner Sanctum—CKDA. Vic Waters—CJOR. McGill String Quartette—CBR. Swap n Shop—KIRO. Mindy Carson—KOMO. Concert Hour—KJR. Chuckwagon Jamboree—KVI. 10.45: You and the World—KIRO. 10.45: Dillabough Delivers—CJVI.

Tomorrow

7.30—CBC News—CBR. News; Early Bird Show—CKDA. News—CJVI. G-G Man—CJOR. Frank Goss—KIRO. Charles Magnante—KOMO. Bob Garred—KJR. Breakfast Gang—KVI. 7.45: Western Show—CJVI. 7.45: Sam Hayes—KOMO. 7.45: News—KVI.

8.00—News—Bill Good—CBR. News—CJVI, CJOR, CKDA. News; Markets—CKWX. 8.05: Let's Pretend—KIRO. Fred Waring Show—KOMO. Conversation With Casey—KJR. Back to Bible—KVI.

8.30—Sample Case—CBR. Dave Hill Show—CKDA. Music of the Waltz—CJVI. News; Bob's Inn—CKWX. Billy Browne—CJOR. Jr. Miss—KIRO. Smilin' Ed McConnell—KOMO. Roger Oann—KJR. Haven of Rest—KVI. 8.45: Roving Reporter—CKDA.

9.00—BBC News—CBR. News—CJVI, CKDA. News; Tillicum Time—CKWX. Billy Browne—CJOR. Theatre of Today—KIRO. Mary Lee Taylor—KOMO. News—KJR. Flying Feet—KVI. 9.15: Dave Hill Show—CKDA. 9.10: Hello Central—CJVI. 9.15: Ann Sterling—KJR.

9.30—Stamp Club—CBR. Dave Hill Show—CKDA. Songs of Our Times—CJVI. Good Deed Club—CKWX. Your Community—CJOR. Housewives League—KIRO. Children's Theatre—KOMO. American Farmer—KJR. Quiz Club—KVI. 9.45: The Answer Man—CBR. 9.45: Songs of the Emerald Isle—CJVI.

10.00—Bandstand Musical Program—CBR. News; Six For One—CJVI. News; Bob White Show—CKWX. Pop Music—CJOR. Stars Over Hollywood—KIRO. Music From Hollywood—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. News—KVI, CKDA. 10.15: Slogan Contest—CKDA. 10.15: Waltz Time—CBR. 10.15: Parent Teachers—CJOR.

10.30—World Church News—CBR. Slogan Contest—CKDA. News—CJVI. Bob White Show—CKWX. Pro Rec Federation—CJOR. Give and Take—KIRO. Voices Down the Wind—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. Symphonies for Youth—KVI. 10.45: CBC News—CBR. 10.45: News—CJOR.

11.00—Metropolitan Opera—CBR, KJR. News; D.V.A. Show—CJVI. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. News—CKDA. Country Fair—KIRO. Lassie—KOMO. Symphonies for Youth—KVI. 11.15: Lucky Listening—CKDA.

11.30—Metropolitan Opera—CBR, KJR. Lucky Listening—CKDA. D.V.A. Show—CJVI. Air Force Hour—KVI. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. Music in the Modern Mood—KIRO. Make Mine Music—CJVI. Farm and Home Hour—KOMO. 11.45: Hobby Show—CKDA.

12.00—Metropolitan Opera—CBR, KJR. News; Jubilee Jackpot—CJVI. News; Midday Melodies—CJOR. News—KIRO, KVI, CKDA. Pioneers of Music—KOMO. 12.15: Bing Crosby Show—CKDA.

12.30—Metropolitan Opera—CBR, KJR. Bing Crosby—CKDA. News—CJVI, CJOR. News; Ken Hughes—CKWX. Family Party—KIRO. Pioneers of Music—KOMO. Man on the Farm—KVI. 12.45: Bernie Ryall—CJVI. 12.45: Kiddies Karnival—CJOR.

1.00—Metropolitan Opera—CBR, KJR. News—CKDA. News; Soccer Scores—CJVI. News; High Time—CKWX. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. Meet the Missus—KIRO. Living, 1950—KOMO. Man on the Farm—KVI. 1.15: Ed Farey Show—CKDA.

1.30—Metropolitan Opera—CBR. Ed Farey Show—CKDA. Six For One—CJVI. Swing Show—CKWX. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. At the Chase—KIRO. Saturday Session—KJR. Voices and Events—KOMO. Sports Parade—KVI.

2.00—Musical Program—CBR. News—CKDA. News; Singing Sam—CJVI. Swing Show—CKWX. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. Income Tax; Orchestra—KIRO. Slim Bryant—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. [illegible]—KVI. 2.15: Ballet Club—CBR. 2.15: Ed Farey Show—CKDA.

2.30—Ballet Club—CBR. Ed Farey Show—CKDA. Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI. Rodeo Rhythm—CJOR. Second Glance—KIRO. British Elections—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. College Choir—KVI.

3.00—This Week—CBR. News; Music Lovers' Corner—CJVI. Griffin Bancroft—KIRO. Spotlight Bands—CKWX. News—CJOR, CKDA. Baker's Oven—KVI. U.N. is My Beat—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. 3.15: News—CBR. 3.15: Shop and Swap—CKDA. 3.15: Canada at Work—CJOR. 3.15: Memo From Lake Success—KIRO. 3.15: Religion in the News—KOMO.

3.30—George Murphy—CJVI. Club 1340—CKDA. Rotary Forum—KIRO. Spotlight Bands—CKWX. Jumbo Jackpot—CJOR. NBC Symphony—CBR, KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. Music—KVI.

4.00—900 Club—CJVI. News—CKDA. News; Spotlight Bands—CKWX. Juke Box Jury—CJOR. Young Love—KIRO. NBC Symphony—KOMO, CBR. Saturday Session—KJR. Sports Cast—KVI. 4.15: Memo from Lake Success—CBR.

4.30—Sports College—CBR. Kiddie Kapers—CKDA. 900 Club—CJVI. Spotlight Bands—CKWX. Cuckoo Clock House—CJOR. Naval Air Show—KIRO. P.-I. Quizdown—KOMO. Saturday Session—KJR. Bandstand—KVI. 4.45: Sons of Pioneers—CJVI.

5.00—Music From Films—CBR. News—CKDA. News; Six For One—CJVI. Safety Club—CKWX. Easy Listening—CJOR. Joe DiMaggio—KIRO. Note by Note—KOMO. This is Jazz—KJR. True or False—KVI.

5.30—Prairie Schooner—CBR. Town Crier—CKDA. Plantation Party—CJVI. B Bar B Ranch—CKWX. Jumbo Jackpot—CJOR. As We See It—KIRO. Folk Tunes—KOMO. Fantasy in Melody—KJR. Get More Out of Life—KVI. 5.45: News — CJVI, KIRO, KOMO.

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Display of Ottawa in Year 2000

W. H. Warren, Victoria's superintendent of parks, points to proposed city hall in Federal District Commission's display of Ottawa "Capital of the Future," which opens to public in Victoria Tuesday. To Mr. Warren's left is Georges Mondou, and to his right Roland Boyer.

Two Men Move Entire 'City' As Ottawa In Miniature Comes Here

Moving house would be a comparatively simple job to Georges Mondou and Roland Boyer—they are used to moving an entire city.

At the moment the two friendly French-Canadians are hard at work in the upstairs Arcade of T. Eaton Co., Ltd., setting up the city of Ottawa.

True, it is in miniature, but it covers nearly 5,000 square feet of floor space and contains a model layout of Canada's national capital, "The Capital of the Future," which the National Planning Committee and the Federal District Commission, hope will be a reality by the year 2000.

Lieutenant-Governor Charles A. Banks will officially open the display at 5:30 Monday evening and it will be open to the public from 9 Tuesday morning for two weeks. Victoria is the first western city to see the exhibit.

MONEY VOTED ANNUALLY

The Federal District Commission has been in existence many years and the Dominion Parliament votes money annually for the planning and designing, preparatory to re-making Ottawa, step-by-step.

"The government voted $100,000 for this traveling display," said W. H. Warren, superintendent of parks for Victoria and B.C. member of the commission.

"Walter B. Bowker, director of information for the National Planning Committee, who is here with the display told me that American children are so national-capital minded that more children from U.S. cities visit Ottawa than Canadian youngsters," Mr. Warren said.

He feels the display which has already been enthusiastically received in three eastern cities, will create great interest in the national capital.

"REMOTE OUT HERE"

"We are so remote out here that anything which will create national interest is all to the good."

Mr. Mondou is in charge of the entire display, including the monumental task of setting it up and taking it down.

Mr. Boyer who worked for 2½ years on the models, under direction of Georges Ayotte, Ottawa artist, takes care of the models.

"Everything is built from architect's plans and we used air photographs, sketches and every means to make the display as detailed as possible," said Mr. Boyer.

"There," he pointed, "is the proposed city hall but there is a lot of controversy over it."

Plans for the new Ottawa were made by one of Europe's leading town planners, Jacques Greber, and his report was presented to Parliament last April. The models have been brought 2,000 miles across Canada and spent three days holed up in the Fraser Canyon, during the snowslides No damage was suffered, according to Mr. Mondou.

Sections are separately crated, padded with sponge rubber and braced with iron.

Business, Defence Linked Closely On This Continent

By FORBES RHUDE
Canadian Press Business Editor

One of the conditions of the times is that business and international politics are part of the one bundle.

Robert T. Elson, former Canadian newspaper man, drew attention to this Thursday in an address to the Canadian Paint, Varnish and Lacquer Association in Toronto.

Mr. Elson, who now is chief of correspondents for the North American Bureaus of Time and Life magazines, reviewed briefly the international scene and commented:

"What has this to do with business in 1950?

"Well, the first task certainly must be to be sure that we have the miltary strength to defend the industrial plant of this continent against Soviet attack. We must be prepared to defend it because the industrial and agricultural production of this continent provides the surplus which gives the free world hope for survival.

"We can only do this if our economy keeps operating at top capacity. Business today must not only keep itself profitable but it must also produce enough to maintain our defence establishment and guarantee continued aid to Europe and such parts of Asia as are yet free from the Communist menace.

"This means we must continue to operate on a tight and narrow margin, and that we cannot expect—not in the foreseeable future at least—any relaxation of the demands that our governments now make on all of us.

"All we can hope for is to see that the government spends the tax dollar carefully and that we get full value for our taxes."

Reduce Fire Hazard

TORONTO (CP) — Board of Control gave quick approval to an $8,000 expenditure for reducing the fire hazard at the children's detention home on downtown Jarvis Street. The action came a few hours after one of the inmates had set fire to the building. Eleven boys and a girl escaped from the 85-year-old structure, described by District Fire Chief William Culling as a fire trap.

Death For Nine Malays

SINGAPORE (AP) — Nine Malays were sentenced to death Thursday for planning assassination of Duncan Stewart, British Governor of Sarawak, last December. The two men who stabbed Stewart to death at Sibu, Sarawak, previously had been sentenced to be hanged. They and the nine convicted of joining in the murder plot were members of a band agitating against British rule over the colony.

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Regular quality overalls made by Big Horn, Caribou and Aero. Sturdy sanforized shrunk 8-oz. blue denim, rivet reinforced pockets. Waist sizes 30 to 44. ON SALE

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for the year 1949

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EARNINGS	$4,208,000
EXPENSES	3,412,000
PROFIT	796,000
TAXES	273,000
NET PROFIT	523,000
DIVIDENDS	400,000

CAPITAL, RESERVE AND SURPLUS
$8,133,000

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$1,002,000,000

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Men's strong quality cotton broadcloth pyjamas in bright stripes or plain shades with contrasting trim. Sizes 36 to 44. **2.89**

Men's Wool Socks

Seconds of men's all-wool half socks . . . ribbed knit in plain shades of navy, grey, brown or black. Sizes 10½ to 11½. **39c**

Sturdy All-Wool Work Socks

Men's all-wool work socks, remarkably low priced . . . "Fields," 3-pound weight. Grey with white heel, toe and top. Standard size. **69c**

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Strong quality white cotton handkerchiefs with hemstitched edges. Size 18x18 inches. **19c**

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Thickly napped cotton blankets in heather tan colour with bright contrasting borders. Easily laundered. Size 60x80 inches. Each, **2.98**

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Cotton blankets in gaily coloured Indian designs. Finished with hemmed ends. A choice of colour combinations in 60x80-inch size. Each, **3.69**

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Black patent and leather oxfords and a few black patent sandals with leather or "Neolite" soles and rubber heels. Sizes 8 to 3. **2.59**

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Lug sole oxfords of burgundy "Elk" (trade name) . . . ghillie tie style with moccasin vamps. Have hard-wearing, red cleated rubber soles and heels. Sizes 6 to 11. **5.88**

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Peas Sussex, standard quality, 20-oz. tins 4 for **31c**

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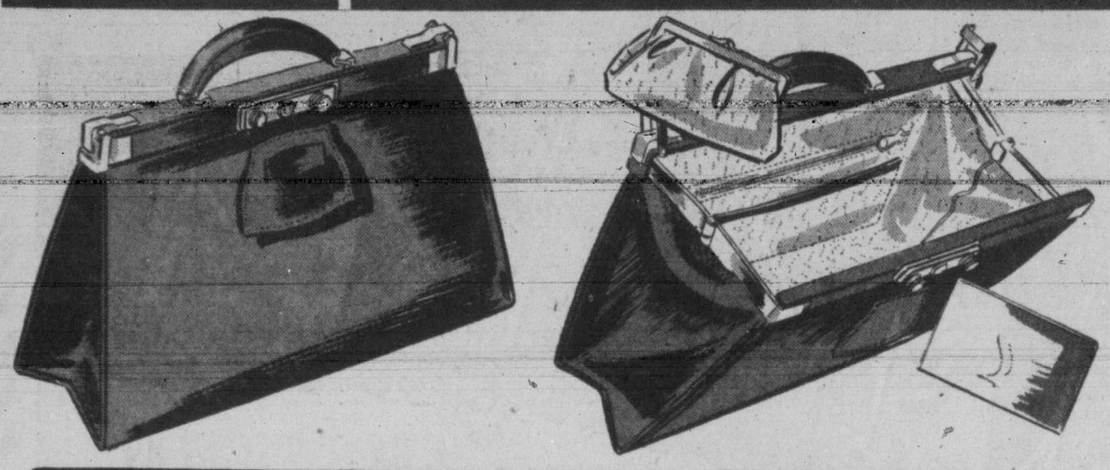
Popular "Bond Street" Handbags From England



All leather lined.

100 only at this exceptionally low price of 14.95

You can save dollars on these popular handbag classics by shopping early Saturday. Made of fine English morocco leather with beautifully made and finished frames, fittings and locks. The inside of these bags is leather lined with side zipper compartment, open compartment and matching change purse. An opportunity to purchase a handbag of this quality at this remarkably low price is a rare occurrence. Three basic colours — black, brown and navy.

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6.95 EACH

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'HOLEPROOF' NYLONS

The Fashion Academy Gold Medal Award Winners

The Fashion Academy, which selects the world's best-dressed women, has selected "Holeproof" for this highest award. Only one product in each field of style merchandise can win this award.

Wear the Winners! Sheer . . . lovely for every occasion . . . with new, longer-wearing features in "Holeproof's" beautiful "Winning Look" colours . . . Triumph, Tribute, Ethereal, Jamboree, Aura, Ovation and Toast . . . 15-denier, 51-gauge, pair **1.95**

EATON'S—HOSIERY, MAIN FLOOR

Skirts and Blouses . . .

Young Separates For Spring and On

This season the top fashion story is in two parts: first part is the perky little blouse you see sketched. It's of fine crepe . . . with short sleeves, neat round neckline and a dainty embroidered yoke effect. White, pink and blue. Sizes 12 to 20. The shirtwaist is important, too . . . EATON'S has a cap-sleeved version in crepe, with lace insets and tailored collar. White only. Sizes 12 to 20.

2.95

Second part is the skirt . . . this year it's slim and lithe, an inch and a half shorter, and EATON'S has it in wool flannel . . . with a side zipper and fly front. Choose juniper green, grey, black, navy. Sizes 14 to 18.

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Oddment clearance . . . all-wool pullovers styled with round or square necklines and short or long sleeves in rib knit, striped or novelty designs . . . cardigans in plain knit botany wool, ribbed knit or novelty designs, styled with "V" or square necklines and long sleeves. Choose from a lovely selection of colours. Sizes 16 to 40 in the group. **Opening Hour Special,** **2.97** to **4.47** OPENING HOUR SPECIAL

EATON'S—SPORTSWEAR, FASHION FLOOR

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7x11-inch albums covered in black imitation leather with dimensional designs. Post binder style enabling additional refills. Complete with 100 Nu-Ace mounting corners. **Opening Hour Special,** **1.89**

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Fine quality notepaper in linen finish . . . 100 sheets with 50 matching envelopes. Specially priced Saturday for smart shoppers. **Opening Hour Special,** package **34c**

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Plain, transparent plastic table covers with neatly hemmed edges. Size 54x54 inches. Save laundry and save money, too! **Opening Hour Special** **69c**

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EATON'S—MEN'S CLOTHING, MAIN FLOOR

SPECIAL OFFER

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EATON'S SPOTLIGHT — Sale of Men's Shoes

Excellent Shoes from Two of England's Leading Makers!

Another great Spotlight Sale . . . men's high quality shoes; handsome, durable shoes made from top-grade grained and plain calf! This price is really outstanding . . . be sure to see these shoes! Black and brown leather uppers and rugged leather soles and heels. Sizes 6 to 12. Tomorrow, this **EATON Spotlight Sale Price**

7.95 PAIR

EATON'S—MEN'S SHOES, GOVERNMENT STREET

EATON'S SPOTLIGHT — Sale of Girls' Wear

Trench Coats

In wool and rayon water-repellent gabardine. Double-breasted trench coat with detachable hood, all-round belt, epaulettes and regulation gun patch. Lined in bright plaids. Beige or red. Sizes 7 to 14X. **SPOTLIGHT SALE PRICE,** each, **13.99**

Five Youthful Styles In Cotton Dresses

Made especially to EATON'S own specifications. Washable cotton chambrays, broadcloths and prints! All finished with good hems. For wear from spring through summer. Sizes 7 to 12. A truly outstanding value at this low, low price. **SPOTLIGHT SALE PRICE**

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1.89

A. Flower print with flounced skirt, lace-edged frill at yoke. Pink, aqua, blue.

B. Chambray, with skirt in alter-edged Peter Pan collar. Aqua, pink, blue.

Dirndl style in chambray with shirred elastic waist. Aqua, pink or blue. Striped collar and bow tie.

"Sanforized" broadcloth with round checkered collar, trimmed with frill. Grey with red checks, blue with deep blue.

E. Chambray, with skirt in alternating stripes and plain. Rose, blue, aqua or pink with white.

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Gales Hampering Island Search

Victoria Daily Times

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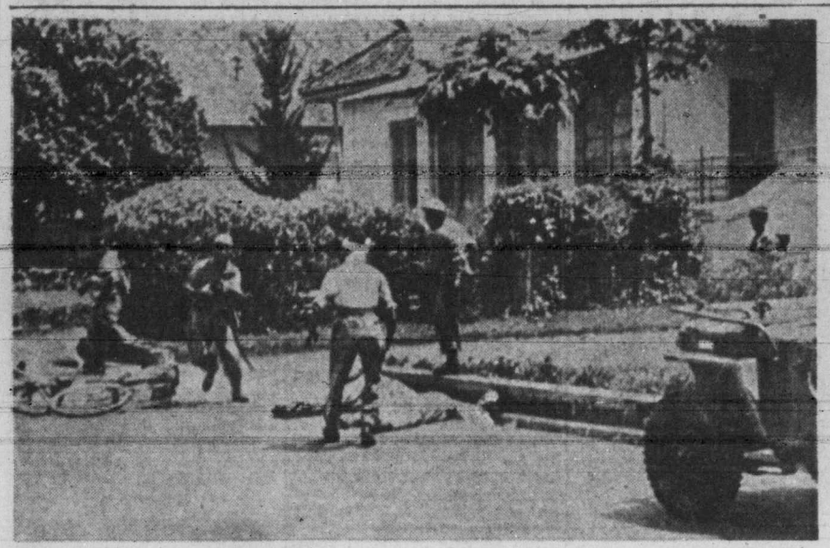
Weather Forecast

Rain today; cloudy with a few showers tonight and Saturday morning; steady rain Saturday afternoon. Continuing mild. Southeast winds 25 m.p.h., decreasing to 15 this evening. Low tonight 42, high Saturday 54.



Civil War In Java

Two Javanese cyclists lie in the gutter after being shot down by deserters from the Dutch colonial army (Knil) in Bandung, Java. The deserters, now members of Captain "Turk" Westerling's "Army of the Heavenly Host," are shown immediately after the killing in this exclusive NEA-Acme photo.

Lewis Orders Miners To Work Immediately

FOUR STAR FINAL

Feeling Federal Pressure

WASHINGTON (AP)—John L. Lewis today ordered all coal miners to "cease forthwith all stoppages and return to work without delay."

The leader of the mine workers sent out this message to the coal fields as the government put on pressure here for a quick settlement of th long-drawn-out coal contract dispute.

Lewis said "all officers and agents of the union are further instructed to carry out this policy and immediately inform all our members."

He added:

"This is for the protection and welfare of our union and all its members."

President Truman has asked his fact-finding board to give a personal report tomorrow morning on the situation. There were hints of possible seizure of the mines and also of contempt of court action against the miners.

ON HAND JUST in case U.S. coal miners obeyed the injunction to return to work, these railroad hoppers stand idle at the Consolidation Coal Co. in Pittsburgh. Many mine operators made advance preparation for work after the court's order.

Rescue Ship Ups Anchor

Gale winds up to 40 miles per hour today caused the Canadian destroyer Cayuga to lift her dragging anchor and is now steaming up and down the coast off Princess Royal Island, where search parties are seeking five missing men from the crashed U.S. B-36 bomber.

It was reported earlier that seven search parties had been landed from the destroyer at dawn this morning, but a later message from Capt. M. A. Medland of Cayuga said only two parties had managed to get ashore in small boats in the pounding seas.

This afternoon the ship was sailing along the rugged northwest coast of the 45 by 25-mile island, seeking a suitable spot to land additional rescue teams.

In addition to the two groups from Cayuga, three from U.S. Coast Guard cutters are on the island, one from the Cahoone and two from the Winona.

CEILING TOO LOW

Aerial search was hampered by the high winds and 2,000-foot ceiling. Mountains on Princess Royal Island reach up as much as 3,000 feet at some points.

A pontoon-equipped Norseman aircraft was prevented from taking of by the gale. It is believed this plane was to have taken the twelth survivor found, Lieut. Charles Pooler of Beloit, Kas., to Port Hardy or Vancouver.

He was found Thursday by a Cayuga party headed by Lt. D. E. Rosenroll lying with a broken ankle by an uncharted lake. He is now receiving medical attention aboard the destroyer. His condition is reported to be favorable.

Today's search for the airmen believed to have landed on the island was sparked by two new clues—a blood-spattered patch in the snow where a man apparently had fallen and an SOS stamped in the snow.

MEDLAND REPORTS

A Royal Canadian Navy spokesman at Esquimalt said these were sighted Thursday, but northern darkness closed in before investigation was completed. He quoted a detailed report from Capt. M. A. Medland, commander of the Cayuga.

One search party did not return to the Cayuga until nearly midnight. It was delayed when thickness of island growth forced members of the party to crawl a "considerable distance" on their hands and knees.

A United States helicopter spotted the SOS and imprint. Four parachutes also were located, but it is not known whether they belonged to the missing men or to those already rescued.

Although considerable distance was covered, the areas cannot be considered thoroughly searched as bush is so dense and hills and gullies make straightforward progress impossible.

Lonely Vigil Grim Ordeal For Survivor

McCHORD AIR FORCE BASE, Wash. (AP) — Cpl. Richard J. Schuler of Miami, Fla., was the "lone wolf" among the 12 survivors picked up on a British Columbia coastal island after they parachuted from a burning B-36.

He was the only one of the 12 who never saw another of his crew mates between the time he "hit the silk" and the time a Canadian fish boat answered his frantic signals from the beach.

When the boat blew a horn in recognition of his wild waving of a piece of white parachute, he said here Thursday night, "I just dropped to my knees and said a prayer." He was the third man picked up by the fish boat Wednesday.

Heartbreaks preceded his final good luck.

In the hours before the first dawn, after he had been knocked out in hitting a tree with his chin, "I woke up to see two bright lights, like automobile headlights. I figured then I had landed on the mainland. The lights must have been on a plane or a boat." The craft was gone at dawn.

He hiked inland in hope of reaching a highway "but got so tired I couldn't go on."

The sight of three fishing boats drew him back through the heavy woods to the beach.

The boats failed to see his signalling, "I got a little worried then."

He was rescued after a second harrowing night alone.

Snow Blocking Most Saskatchewan Roads

REGINA (CP)—Practically all Saskatchewan highways were blocked today as a blizzard swept the province.

This morning blowing snow reduced visibility to almost zero at some points. Winds were reported up to 38 miles an hour.

Snow was general over most of the prairies.

Light snow drifted across Manitoba before north winds of 20 miles an hour. In southern Saskatchewan the storm has taken near-blizzard proportions. Light snow and sketches of sunshine are general in Alberta.

Temperatures mostly were above zero. It was 9 below at Edmonton, 11 above at Winnipeg and 6 above at Regina.

Blood Plasma Bank Used Up More B.C. Donations Sought

VANCOUVER (CP)—Its backlog of plasma collected during the war exhausted, the British Columbia Division of the Canadian Red Cross Society today issued a plea for more blood donations.

"A serious situation" has arisen from the difference in the amount used and the amount collected, Col. W. G. Swan, of the blood donor committee told the annual meeting here.

A surplus built up during the war is almost gone, he said.

"We must raise our objective for the next year to 40,000 pints of blood, or nearly 800 per cent to cover our present rate of expenditure and estimated increase."

Total collections for 1949 were 32,136 pints.

The disaster committee told the two-day meeting, which began here Thursday, that "the work of the Red Cross in connection with the flood emergency fund has been completed.

The fund was raised for relief of victims of B.C.'s 1948 Fraser Valley floods. The Red Cross spent a total of $1,788,127. About $115,000 of this was from the Red Cross' own fund.

"This flood work is one of the biggest jobs ever undertaken by the B.C. division," Eric Marsden, chairman of the flood committee told the 100 delegates.

"The people in the Fraser Valley and elsewhere are lavish in their praise," he added.

GUELPH, Ont. (CP)—An 11-year-old girl who was reported a truant from a school here for two weeks, was found to be keeping house for eight children while her mother was in the hospital. The truancy charge was not pressed.

Vancouver Bank Robber Escapes

VANCOUVER (CP)—A gunman shortly before 3 p.m. held up a branch of the Bank of Commerce on Dunbar Street and escaped with an unknown sum of money.

He is reported to have jumped into a police squad car, threatening the driver with a gun.

The police driver drove the car into a tree, and the man escaped. He left the bank money in the car, it was reported.

Today's Final Prices On Vancouver Market

(By Hagar Investments Ltd.)

OILS—	Bid	Asked
Anaconda	7¼	8
Anglo-Canadian	400	410
A.P. Con.	22½	
Atlantic	154	155
British Dominion	22¼	23
C. and E. Corp.	730	
Calmont	50	53
Central Leduc	110	117
Commoil	95	
Commonwealth	125	
Continental Oil	31	33
Dalhousie	36	38
East Leduc		26½
Federated Pete.	255	265
Foothills		375
General Pete.	101	110
Do. A	105	115
Globe Oil	59	60
Hargal	13½	14
Del Rio	46	50
Highwood Sarcee	6½	
Home Oil	1135	1150
Leduc West		82
McDougall Segur	10	11
Mercury		10½
Model Oil	32	36
National Pete.	33	
Okalta	210	212
Pacific Pete.	455	460
Princess	36	37
Royal Canadian	6½	7
Royalite	925	935
South Braseau	11	12
Spooner	20	22
Sunset	18	19
Superior	42	42½
Vanalta	23	30
Vulcan		30
Pan Western	18½	21
MINES—		
Bayonne Cons.	3½	5
Bralorne	950	965
Bridge River Con.	2½	3
B.R.X. (1935)	6	
Canuse Caribou	8	9
Caribou Gold	125	130
Congress	20	24
Cuyuni Gold	32	36
Grandview	19	
Grull Wihksne		2¾
Hedley Mascot	24½	
Highland Belle	58	59
Island Mountain	115	118
Kootenay Belle	26	
Pacific Nickel	17¼	
P.E. Gold	5	6
Pend Oreille	540	560
Pioneer Gold	340	345
Premier Border	3½	
Privateer	14	
Quatsino Copper	4¾	
Red Hawke	1¾	
Reeves McDonald	210	
Reno Gold	2¾	
Sheep Creek	113	115
Silbak Premier	38	39
Silver Standard	50	51
Surf Inlet Gold		6½
Taku River		14
Taylor Bridge		40
Utica	6½	
Vahanda	11	
Wellington	2	2½
INDUSTRIALS—		
B.C. Forest Prod.	2¾	3
B.C. Turf	65	70
Burrard Drydock A	7¼	
Canadian West Lumber	3¾	3¾
Capital Estates	15½	16
Coast Brew.	345	350
Bruck Mills A	19	
Do. B	7	7¼
H. R. MacMillan A	9	
Do. B	7¾	
Pacific Coyle	42	60
Powell River	44½	45
Sun Publishing	17¾	18¾
Westminster Paper A	8¾	
Do. B	4	4½

Today's Sports

Overnight Entries

Santa Anita

FIRST RACE—Seven furlongs:
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Alderman 118 — a-Sturdy One 118
Feudal 118 — a-Entry
Hawley 118 — b-Entry

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and three-quarters:
Top Lieutenant 118 — Gaviota Pass 116
Lucky Date 109 — Just Why 119
Power Stroke 102 — Carry Message 124
High Conquest 112 — En Famille 100
Battle Cloud 109
First race, 1 p.m.

Fairgrounds

FIRST RACE—Six furlongs:
Creede 111 — Why Me More 118
Vee's Boy 118 — Bounding Ace 106
Slow Flash 115 — Partridge 113
Lily Perfume 106 — General Custer 118
Bull Scout 118 — Qui Melodie 113
Happy Town 113 — Fandu 118
Jay Dee Ell 118 — Brown Brutus 118
Brief Stay 111 — Pair Reno 118
Our Do Do 108

SECOND RACE—Six furlongs:
First Pal 111 — Quaire Blanc 111
Taito 109 — Salsand 104
Burgoo Master 115 — Glory Be 106
Bet Nebraska 111 — Survey 107
Petition 109 — Don Quest 111
Petrified 114 — Hypothesis 114
Susie's Gift 110 — Sir Spic 114
Lucky M 101 — Lucky Champ 114

THIRD RACE—Mile and an eighth:
Stray Tiger 110 — Ominous 111
Roy Jay 111 — Don O'Sullivan 114
Bel Acre 117 — Hike 109
Khaygram 110 — Zevle 106
Innate 117 — Glory Song 102

FOURTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Rough Cookie 109 — Ticker Tape 104
Gay Senorita 104 — Kallmera 114
Jack's Banner 113 — Lucky Al 114
Pretty Sun 115

FIFTH RACE—Six furlongs:
Hitem 111 — Frisk 101
Spiteful Sue 101 — Red Camelia 104
Selmagundi 111 — Lilly Valenti 110
Dark Pilante 111 — Montana Sands 109

SIXTH RACE—Two furlongs:
Seltzer 119 — Grand Cella 119
Classic Night 114 — Blackened 119
Patrick Wood 114 — Wiley Whirler 114
Dydamic 119 — Hearts Flutter 122

SEVENTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth
Dockstseader 106 — Athlete 102
Texas Rain 107 — Callion Rogue 103
Thank You Sir 105 — The Globe 110
Sticker 103 — Rags To Riches 103
Fugitive 108 — Magnet 111
Mister Morgan 108 — Vamanos 114
Blue Thanks 113

EIGHTH RACE—Mile and a sixteenth:
Right Jab 113 — Lolling 110
Bold Star 108 — Hild's Liberty 113
Finder Keeper 117 — Steeplejack 121
Castle Over 110 — Watch Susan 104

NINTH RACE—Mile and a quarter:
Captain Joe 115 — Spanaqua 115
Hill Flight 114 — Rotomal 114
Clover Miss 107 — Toubo Isle 117
Sutten Place 117 — Marseilles 117
Ted Mosquero 112 — Pro 118
First post 11.45 a.m.

Santa Anita Results

First Race—
Headark (Arcaro) ... $2.20 $2.60 $2.30
Emulator (Longden) ... 5.30 3.10
Sound Off (Bierman) ... 2.60
Second Race—
Full Measure (Arcaro) ... $4.20 $3.90 $3.30
Sea Gambol (James) ... 46.60 19.20
Drake Mallard (Guerin) ... 5.70
Scratched: Foremost, Cairn Lee, Gay Marauder, High Fun.
Third Race—
Glade Holly (Zufelt) ... $32.80 $10.10 $7.10
Shower Down (Boland) ... 7.30 5.20
Reed Patch (Burgin) ... 10.00
Scratched: Justashower.
Fourth Race—
Jolly Jumbuck (Shmkr) ... $15.30 $7.80 $5.50
Cold Roll (Lasswell) ... 8.40 6.50
Jadd Lad (Bierman) ... 16.20
Scratched: Tonita, War Coin, Back Drop, Top Emperor.

Fifth Race—
Rayne Girl (Tenaglio) ... $9.20 $3.40 $2.40
Hysis (Castille) ... 2.80 2.20
Starview (Combest) ... 2.80
Scratched: Nally's First.
Sixth Race—
Ladolee (Jenkins) ... $12.60 $5.40 $3.60
Merry Zac (Ferrauiolo) ... 3.00 2.80
Waverly (Milligan) ... 5.00
Scratched: Siddons.
Seventh Race—
Lucky Codine (Baird) ... $34.20 $8.80 $6.60
Miss Mellas (Valdes) ... 15.30 8.40
Nick Bloom (Claggett) ... 17.00
Eighth Race—
Sun Clock (Roy) ... $13.20 $6.60 $4.00
Arrow Rock (Baird) ... 8.40 4.80
Rio Limpo (Ferrauilo) ... 4.80
Scratched: Chic Rose, Zevle.

Fairgrounds Results

Raydel (Bass) ... $35.40 $11.80 $5.40
Dodo (Hart) ... 7.60 4.20
Silk Bound (Clayton) ... 3.00
Scratched: Mollie Moe, Lucky Champ, Fighting Lulie, Bangor Chance, Carlonia, Private Joe.
Second Race—
Cloverland-Son (Combast) ... $7.40 $3.00 $2.80
Fair Girl (McGonigle) ... 3.80 2.60
Topay Lass (Baird) ... 4.00
Scratched: Dick Manners, Head Me.
Third Race—
Grass Fire (Combast) ... $3.40 $3.20 $2.60
Five Fifteen (McGonigle) ... 31.60 9.80
Here's A Dream (Cavens) ... 4.20
Scratched: Pride of Pride.
Fourth Race—
Invercork (Hettinger) ... $6.20 $4.20 $3.60
Sunny Limited (Feraulo) ... 4.60 3.00
Burgoo's Gal (McGonigle) ... 3.80
Scratched: Treemont.

Plan Amateur Boxing Finals May 18 to 20

LETHBRIDGE, Alta. (CP)—The Dominion amateur boxing finals will be held here next May 18 to 20, Lethbridge Amateur Boxing Association officials have decided.

Officials said three provinces, Prince Edward Island, Nova Scotia and Saskatchewan, had already signified intention to send their provincial champions.

Officials believed that some of the boxers to take part are Canada's representatives in the British Empire Games held in New Zealand earlier this month.

Claim Goal Scored After Game Over

KELOWNA, B.C. (CP)—A goal scored during a flurry of action at the end of Thursday nights M.O.A.H.L. game here is the basis of a protest officially filed today by Nanaimo Clippers.

Manager Blair Cook claims the goal was scored before the game ended, but the referees ruled otherwise, leaving the count at 3 to 2 in favor of Kelowna Packers.

The largest crowd of the season let loose with a terrific roar when the clock pointed to the end of the game, drowning out the bell. Play didn't stop until the red light flashed in the Kelowna net.

Observers here see little chance of the protest standing, but it may result in a larger and louder bell being installed.

Press Freedom Topic Of Pope's Message

VATICAN CITY (UP)—Pope Pius XII said today that dictators have silenced public opinion in violation of man's natural rights and the law of God.

"This scandalous tyranny . . . (and) humiliating outrage for both journalists and their readers" should have been ended long ago, he said.

He discussed press freedom and public opinion in a 3,000-word message to Roman Catholic journalists assembled in Rome for the three-day International Conference of the Catholic Press.

Because of his illness, the Pontiff did not deliver the message personally. Instead it was printed in French in the official Vatican newspaper Osservatore Romano.

Young Mother Wins Downhill Ski Race

ASPEN, Colo. (AP) — Trude Beiser-Jochum of Austria, who became a mother in November, won the Women's Downhill race today—subject to correction by the judges of the World Ski Championships.

Her time for the mile and three quarter slide down Mount Aspen was two minutes, 6.6 seconds — an average around 50 miles an hour.

Salmon, Humber, Haddad Arrive Back From Games

Peter Salmon, Victoria's British Empire Games swimming champion, and Bruce Humber, coach of the Canadian track team, arrived back home this afternoon from New Zealand.

The Victorians were included in the party of 35 to reach Vancouver earlier today by air.

The advance guard also included mile champion Bill Parnell of North Vancouver and Dr. George Athans, Vancouver, springboard diving champion, and Eddie Haddad, R.C.N. boxer from Esquimalt.

Tragedy greeted Salmon on his arrival. The 21-year-old swimmer learned that his mother had died early today at Vancouver. Mayor Charles Thompson greeted the athletes at the airport along with a big crowd of civic and sports officials.

A parade downtown was headed by a car with scarlet banners proclaiming "our champs."

At North Vancouver, Bill Parnell was greeted by whistling tugboats and ferries.

RUSTY RILEY — **By Frank Godwin**

Actor-Playwright Dies

LOS ANGELES (AP)—Charles Rann Kennedy, 79, actor and playwright, best known as author of "The Servant in the House," died Thursday. He was born in Derby, England, and first appeared as an actor in London in 1897. He came to the United States in 1903 and retired from the stage in the late 1920s.

Buttercups Bloom In Lillooet Hills

LILLOOET, B.C. (CP)—Spring is approaching in the Lillooet area, although the district is still isolated by rail. Snow has disappeared and buttercups are blooming on the hills.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway line from Squamish, and the highway to Lytton, still are closed by snow and earth slides. Mail is going via Ashcroft.